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Moderate or fresh gusty easterly winds; fair periods this afternoon, becoming cloudy again later this evening. At 1 pm the temperature was 85 degrees Fahrenheit and the relative humidity 72 per cent.

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"SEVEN exasperated Wanchai residents" have written to the China Mail complaining about noise made by US Naval landing craft at Fenwick Pier in the small hours. At the risk of provoking an outcry we ask: is this a fair request? Most people would say "yes" unhesitatingly, and so would we so long as the appeal is for an end to unnecessary noise. It is pointless otherwise.

The fact is that Hongkong is a noisy city. Whether it is more so than most is hard to say. But let's list a few of the grumbles that have been made in recent years: low-flying jet planes, stereophonic sound effects, trams, church bells, pile drivers, noon guns, artillery salutes, ad nauseum, barking dogs, crowing roosters, screaming children, mah-jong, transistors on beaches. Even the Colonial Secretary concedes the world of Elvis Presley is with us.

BUT consider a few other categories of exasperated residents like the man we know whose flat is sandwiched between a cha-cha academy and a bowling alley. Another lives above a tram depot with a night-club and a pile driver beating rhythmic tattoos on either side of his bedroom. Another lives between a rifle range and a garage for PWD steamrollers. While another has the misfortune to reside over a Nathan Road traffic intersection and hears nothing all day but a symphony of cars in first gear major.

A revving diesel at 2.30 a.m. can hardly be described as mellifluous and soporific, but surely it is no worse than the cases quoted above. The correspondents complain moreover that the authorities waste their time on trifles like beach minstrels and mah-jong and leave the worst threats to our nocturnal peace untouched. They are right, of course, but how would they go about banning noise from our midst?

OBLIGATORY cork bottoms for mah-jong tiles, crepe soles for cha-cha dancers, earplugs for jazz fans and radio listeners, mufflers for jet engines, silencers for sports cars, rubber wheels for trams, 21 lusty cheers in a sound-proof room for the Duke's next birthday and a noon silence by the Princes of Hong, might be a start. We would gladly throw in our buzzing dictaphone and ringing telephone as our contribution to a noise-free city if the US Navy would employ oars instead of diesels and yachts instead of landing craft.

A forlorn hope. We console ourselves with the thought that Chinese New Year would be characterless and insipid without its crackers. And life at home would simply not be the same without the pitter patter of tiny feet, their tearful cries, their shattering yells, their thunderous games. And in the office think how morbidly lonesome it would be without those friendly types who make a beeline for the desk at which we sit full of thought and concentration, while they chit-chat and sip tea, both noisily. In fact, give the average man half an hour of sustained silence and he would complain that it was unnatural and start running around to find out why. We commend these thoughts to our Wanchai readers.

**Lumumba demands withdrawal of Swedish troops  
BELGIANS MUST RETURN GOLD****Martial law  
declared  
in Congo**

Leopoldville, Aug. 16.  
The Congolese Government tonight decreed martial law over the entire Congo for a period of six months.



MRS G. E. MARDEN

**Mrs G.E. Marden  
dies in  
London**

Mrs Dorothy Marden, wife of Mr George E. Marden, died in London yesterday at St Mary's Hospital.

Mr George Marden was formerly Chairman of Wheelock Marden and Co Ltd and Mrs Marden was widely known in Hongkong as a generous benefactor and social worker for many welfare agencies.

Mrs Marden was a member of St John's Ambulance Association and Brigade for many years. Before leaving last year, she was awarded the Most Venerable Order of the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem.

Mr and Mrs Marden were married in England during World War I. Mrs Marden came to Shanghai in 1920 when Mr Marden was connected with the Chinese Maritime Customs.

**INTERRED**

She taught at the Thomas Hanbury School and in the Cathedral School for Girls. In 1942, the Mardens were interned by the Japanese in Shanghai, but they were repatriated the same year. They came to Hongkong in 1946.

In addition to her many activities in Hongkong, Mrs Marden was a prominent member of the St John's Cathedral choir. Mrs Marden is survived by her husband and son, John, who is now Chairman of Wheelock Marden and Co Ltd.

**HAMMARSKJOLD  
BACK AT UN**

New York, Aug. 16.  
The United Nations Secretary-General, Mr Hammarskjold, arrived in New York tonight by air from Paris on his way back from Leopoldville to attend the Security Council debate on the Congo situation. Mr Hammarskjold refused as usual to answer any questions. As he walked rapidly to his car he merely said, "I had a very good journey." He immediately reiterated his refusal to comment when a newspaperman informed him that martial law had been decreed in the Congo. Mr Hammarskjold drove straight to his UN office to draw up his report for the Security Council on the Congo.—AP.

**Poole denied  
reprieve**

London, Aug. 17.  
Mr Iain Macleod, the Colonial Secretary, has refused to advise the Queen to reprieve Peter Poole, due to hang in Nairobi tomorrow for the murder of an African houseboy, the Colonial Office announced early today.

The Colonial Office statement said: "Following on the decision of the Governor of Kenya, Sir Patrick Renshaw, not to exercise the prerogative of mercy in the case of Peter Henry Richard Poole, a petition praying for clemency has been submitted to Her Majesty by solicitors acting on behalf of Peter Poole and other repre-

sentations have been made. The Secretary of State for the Colonies has, by Her Majesty's command, given the most careful consideration to all the matters raised in the petition and the representation, but he has been unable to advise Her Majesty to intervene."

Peter Poole, 24, is the first white person to be convicted by an all-white jury in Kenya for the murder of an African. He was sentenced to death last December. Last month the Privy Council dismissed his appeal. Last Friday the Governor of Kenya dismissed a petition for his reprieve which contained more than 25,000 signatures.—Reuter.

**THREAT TO  
RETAKE  
VIENTIANE**

Vientiane, Aug. 17.  
Anti-coup d'etat leaflets were showered over Vientiane on Tuesday at noon claiming army forces in the south under deposed Defence Minister, Phoumi Nosavan, is preparing to retake this capital.

Authorities promptly broadcast an appeal to the people not to believe the leaflets.

The leaflets were dropped from a low-flying DC-3 believed to be based at Savannakhet in the South.

They were signed by "The Committee Against the Coup d'Etat" and claimed the decision to retake Vientiane has been made by the Council of Ministers in Luangprabang.

This is obviously referring to some action the Government of Laos has taken before last Sunday's decision to resign.

**Carrying on**

Somsanith arrived here from Luangprabang on Monday and is carrying on until the new government headed by Prince Souvanna Phouma takes over after ratification by the National Assembly and royal investiture.

Phoumi's latest move was apparently taken on his own since the Somsanith removal and Souvanna Phouma's Cabinet formation has the King's sanction.

The leaflet appeared to cause no immediate great stir here but they nonetheless injected a jarring note in the otherwise smooth movement of developments in the past 24 hours.—AP.

**Holiday  
money  
lost**

London, Aug. 16.  
A family of six, who began a two-week holiday in East Anglia on Saturday, watched all their holiday spending money sink slowly to the bottom of Great Yarmouth harbour today.

A holiday containing about £40—the year's holiday savings of Richard's foundry worker Harry Eyre, his wife and four children—fell overboard from a pleasure cruiser.

Tonight Mr Eyre took his family to the Great Yarmouth National Assistance Board office where he was given a loan.

Tomorrow Mr Eyre will try to get a temporary job as a bean-picker on a nearby farm.—Reuter.

**Indonesians advocate power  
policy to win New Guinea**

Djakarta, Aug. 16.  
To win Dutch-held West New Guinea, Indonesia must turn to a policy of power.

Two senior Cabinet ministers told the people of the Republic this during a recent tour of the Celebes and the Moluccas—the Indonesian border provinces facing New Guinea.

The Minister for National Security, and Army Chief of Staff, General Abdul Harris Niamtun, said in a speech that the struggle for West New Guinea would not be deter-

mined in the United Nations, the United States or Russia, but on the New Guinea mainland.

The Foreign Minister, Dr Subandrio, said it was no longer any use talking with the Dutch—strength has to be faced with strength.

General Niamtun said that for years "we have struggled for the liberation of West Irian by means of negotiation, diplomacy, mass rallies and demonstrations. This had yielded no results."

**Boy's body found in bush  
NSW Premier pledges  
intense search  
for Sydney kidnappers**

Sydney, Aug. 16.  
Mr Robert Heffron, Premier of New South Wales, tonight pledged an all-out search for the kidnappers of eight-year-old Graeme Thorne after discovery of a boy's body in a wood near Sydney.

Graeme's father, Basil Thorne, a salesman, whose son was kidnapped shortly after he had won £A100,000 in a lottery, will be taken to see the body tomorrow. Police who saw it said there was no doubt it was Graeme, who was kidnapped on his way to school in the Sydney suburb of Bondi on July 7.

**Thought it rubbish**

They thought it was a bundle of rubbish at first and went on playing till dark before telling their parents.

Two of the parents, Mr David Wall and Mr Eric Coughlan, went and examined the bundle by the light of a torch.

"The blankets had been knotted up," Mr Coughlan said. "As I undid the knot I saw two arms hanging down."

Then they telephoned police and took detectives to the spot. The detectives lifted the blanket and found the body wearing a Scots College blazer, like the one Graeme was wearing when he disappeared.

A government officer made a first examination of the body by torchlight in Mr Coughlan's garage. A detailed examination will be made tomorrow after Mr Thorne has seen it.

Detectives said the first examination did not show the cause of death. Those of them who witnessed the examination said there was no trace of bullet wounds.

The body was found near the spot where search parties found Graeme's empty school case on July 8—the day after he vanished.

The same day a man telephoned them saying he had the boy.

**STOP PRESS****KIM REJECTED**

Seoul, Aug. 17.  
The Korean National Assembly today rejected the nomination of American-educated economist Kim Do Yun for Prime Minister of the "new" republic.—UPI.



GRAEME THORNE

**Ship goes  
aground  
in harbour**

The 700-ton motor vessel Elsbegh went aground on Coast Rock in Huenghom Bay last night.

The accident occurred at about 11 pm—half an hour after the ship sailed from Swatow with a full cargo.

A Marine Police launch stood by while a tug tried to pull the Elsbegh off.

The ship was refloated at about 1 am today with the help of a rising tide.

There were no casualties or damage.

**STILL HERE**

The Elsbegh, owned by the Shun Cheong Steam Navigation Co Ltd of Hongkong, was still in harbour this morning.

A company spokesman told the China Mail that the cause of the accident was still under investigation.

The ship usually carries pig containers from Hongkong to Swatow, he added.

Laurence Marques, Aug. 16.

Forty men and women were drowned on Sunday when their boat overturned in a gale off Inhaea Island, Portuguese East Africa, it was learned today.

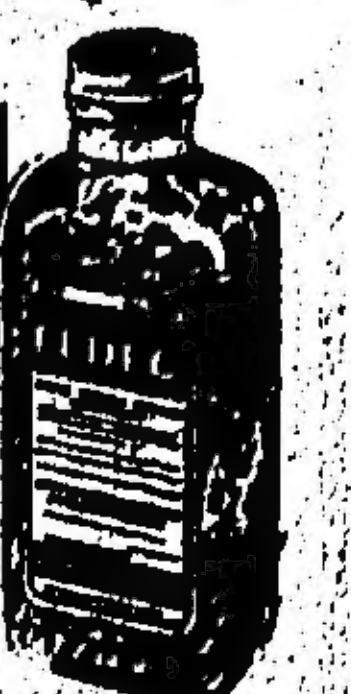
Two members of the group going to a tribal festival, were able to swim ashore.—AFP.



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# HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

Business done at the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$1,340,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

HK Dock	103	107	300 @ 107
			100 @ 107
			200 @ 107
			400 @ 106
C. Provident	19.30	20	500 @ 20
			200 @ 20
HK Hotel	40.14		
HSK Ltd.	56.15	57	100 @ 57
			2300 @ 57
Yau-mai	180	181	
Star Ferry	109	112	
Macau Elec.	11.40		
Tram	31.74	32	500 @ 32
			1600 @ 32
			100 @ 32
Ch. Light	21.80	22	1000 @ 21.80
			500 @ 22
			800 @ 22
Electric	23.10	23.30	848 @ 23
			1000 @ 23.25
Telephone	38.14	39.14	3600 @ 39
			1000 @ 39
G.I. Cement	53	54	200 @ 54
Dairy Farm	23.40	23.60	2300 @ 23.60
Watson	23.30	23.50	400 @ 23.50
Allied Inv.	5.80	5.90	
Textile	8.14	8.05	
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## Exchange rates

Business was done in the unofficial exchange market at the following rates:

U.S. dollar (per \$1)	5.58
Sterling notes (per £1)	15.55
Australian notes (per £1)	15.55
Indonesian rupiah (per 100)	1.85
Siam baht (per 100)	1.85
Singapore (Straits)	1.81

# GETTING TO GRIPS WITH BRITAIN'S FINANCES

By ALEXANDER THOMSON

London, Aug. 16.

After four and half years of grappling as Foreign Secretary with Mr. Khrushchev and other overseas notabilities Mr Selwyn Lloyd has to switch his attention to problems of plain John citizen for a change.

In his big airy room looking sideways towards Parliament Mr Selwyn Lloyd has since been spending much of his time in getting to grips with Britain's finances.

Already he must have given them a pretty good going-over. Facts and figures will be clear to him.

On holiday he will be able to re-examine them. What thoughts should be revolving in his lawyer-trained mind as he enjoys his leisure on some sunny beach?

Undoubtedly he should consider how soon he can ease the credit restrictions clamped on by his predecessor.

Nearly every day there is evidence that Mr Selwyn Lloyd can now afford to be a little more gentle where Mr Amory was tough.

## Gold reserves

A few days ago for example the Treasury was able to announce a £37 million rise in Britain's reserves of gold and convertible currencies.

This was the largest increase since April 1959. Allowing for special payments during July the true increase in reserves was nearer £57 million.

Then we had the news that mushrooming growth of Britain's hire-purchase debt had been dramatically halted.

In June—the last month for which figures are available—the increase amounted to only £23 million.

This is a big difference from the rise of £29 million reported only two months previously for what Britons owe on "never-nevers."

On the other side of the economic fence of course is the fact that the bank loans last month went up by a further £99 million.

But this was a distorted figure. It included a large amount for interest payments added on to outstanding overdrafts at the end of the half-year.

Other seasonal influences were also at work. The real increase could have been nothing like as large.

Mr Amory when he was Chancellor brought back controls on hire-purchase and other forms of credit because he feared that Britain's boom was getting out of hand.

## Home buyers

Home buyers were snapping up goods that should have been shipped abroad to swell exports.

Certainly some check was needed on buying of such things as television sets, washing-machines, vacuum cleaners and motor cars at home. They looked liked gobbling up too large a proportion of available resources and putting a strain on the economy.

But it has since become apparent that the medicine which Mr Amory gave was unnecessarily strong.

Not until Britain faces another slump should it go back to the old free for all in "never-nevers" in which you could buy a new car for as little as a five down with the rest spread over as long as you like.

In today's circumstances, Mr Amory's twenty per cent down-payment for most things seems pretty reasonable.

But the maximum repayment period of two years which he also imposed is unduly tough. A three-year limit would be safe enough.

The trouble with so many of Britain's Chancellor's since is that they have been too frightened of prosperity.

Britain is prosperous. The pound stands in high regard again in the financial centres of the world.

The country does not need to be tied down quite so tightly as when Mr Amory left it. Surely Mr Selwyn Lloyd, you can now afford to untie some of the knots—London Express Service.

# London stocks decline

London, Aug. 16. Stocks receded across a broad front today in markets unsettled by disappointing overseas trade figures for July and a flurry of profit-taking.

The pause came after a broad upswing spread across 13 days. Selling was never heavy but was sufficient to depress market leaders like Imperial Chemical Industries, Bowlers, Underlev, Courtaulds, Foris and -Rolls Royce.

Counters showing the better gains over the past week proved vulnerable while banks, insurance and finance houses joined manufacturing industries in the decline. Selected steels moved against the trend but were generally dull with engineering.

Quiet conditions ruled in gilt-edged and the government securities turned easier with falls up to 1/16th sterling. Dollar stocks shaded, with Chrysler an exceptional 1/4 point better.

## FOREIGN BONDS

Foreign bonds were a lacklustre affair. Greek loans losing a fraction after yesterday's vault on debt settlement hopes.

Politics overshadowed African mining shares to send gold and copper shares down, the jacks ranging up to two shillings. Tins also lost ground.

The slide in oils continued. Royal-Dutch losing 1/16th sterling to 12 1/2 pence. Shell 2 shillings and 3 pence lower and British Petroleum 8 pence off.

Rubbers and teas were quiet. —UPI.

## Closing prices

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# Stocks resume uptrend in Wall Street

New York, Aug. 16.

Stocks resumed the uptrend today with electronics, drugs, steels, autos, cameras and scattered specials dominating the play.

Blue chip industrials eked out a small rise on the day as buyers concentrated mainly on stocks outside of the averages. Among these, cameras, cinematographs and drugs were most in demand.

The advance enabled the market to push ahead for its eighth advance in nine sessions. Polaroid stood out with a gain of nearly 9 points in the cameras, followed by gains of more than 4 in Underwood in the office equipments, more than 2 in Carter Products in the drugs, nearly 3 in Universal Pictures in the entertainments, a point in automatic caulkers in the vending machines, and more than 6 in Texas Instruments in the electronics.

Today's volume was 2,710,000 shares. Of a total 1,219 shares traded, 584 were higher and 393 lower.

American exchange volume was 1,220,000 shares.

Bonds volume amounted to \$4,770,000.

Dow-Jones closing averages were:

30 Industrial	623.43
20 Rails	138.99
15 Utilities	207.78
65 Stocks	34.78
40 Bonds	142.22
Comm. future price index	143.22

## Closing prices

Abtibi Pwr. & Paper	38 1/2
Alden Inc. Apy	31 1/2
Algonquin Chemicals	32 1/2
Allied Chemicals	32 1/2
Allied Mills Inc.	34 1/2
Allis Chalmers	35 1/2
Am. Home Prod.	36 1/2
American Airlines	37 1/2
Am. Cable & Radio Corp.	38 1/2
American Cyanamid Co.	39 1/2
Am. Home Prod.	40 1/2
Am. Mach. & Foundry	41 1/2
American Metal	42 1/2
Am. Nat. Bank	43 1/2
American Smelting	44 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	45 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	46 1/2
American Tobacco	47 1/2
Amper	48 1/2
Anaconda Copper	49 1/2
Armco Steel	50 1/2
Asbestos Corp.	51 1/2
Atlas Cons. Mining	52 1/2
Baltimore	53 1/2
Bank of Montreal	54 1/2
Bank of Nova Scotia	55 1/2
Beech Life Savers	56 1/2
Bell Telephone	57 1/2
Bentley Corp.	58 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	59 1/2
Borden (The) Co.	60 1/2
Boydell Corp.	61 1/2
British Amer. Oil	62 1/2
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# Russians unexpectedly attend United Nations disarmament talks

United Nations, Aug. 16.  
The Soviet Union decided today to attend a U.S.-summoned meeting of the U.N. Disarmament Commission which it had threatened to boycott.

## SPY PILOT'S TRIAL MAY LAST 3 DAYS

Moscow, Aug. 16.  
The spy trial of American pilot Francis Powers which opens tomorrow after two months of buildup will probably be over in three days.

In addition to the 2,000 guests who will be present in the main hall, the trial will be broadcast on television. The world may be able to witness at least parts of the trial that are expected to be filmed for Soviet television.

No one knows yet how many of the many hundreds of newsmen who are pouring into Moscow will be able to witness the American pilot's days in a Soviet court.

The audience will consist mainly of delegations from various organizations. Admission to the courtroom will be permitted only to persons showing invitations. The heads of diplomatic missions here have already received theirs.

### IDENTITY FIRST

The trial will proceed according to standard courtroom practice. It will begin with identification of the defendant, who will be the only non-Russian involved in the trial.

The entire trial will be translated as it unfolds into English and Russian.

One significant exception to common practice will be the lack of a jury.

A judge and two assistants will decide the guilt or innocence of the defendant, who will be the only non-Russian involved in the trial.

It will take place in the "hall of columns," principal room in an 18th century palace whose function has changed with the times in Russia.

Under the Czar it was the scene of Moscow's most fashionable balls. Later Lenin and Stalin lay there in state after their deaths.—AP.

At today's meeting, the United States asked the Soviet Union to agree to a complete cut off in the production of fissionable materials for weapons purposes.

Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge, the chief U.S. delegate, told the 32-nation disarmament commission that when this had been done the United States and the Soviet Union might each set aside 30,000 kilograms (about 66,000 pounds) of uranium 235 for peaceful purposes.

### A 'FARCE'

If the Soviet Union was not prepared to join in a plan of this kind, then the United States would be prepared to join Russia in a step-by-step close-down of plants producing enriched uranium and plutonium, Mr. Lodge said.

Mr. Vasily Kuznetsov, the Soviet First Deputy Foreign Minister, promptly told the Commission its meeting was a "farce."

Almost up to the last moment it was uncertain whether the Soviet Union would boycott the session. The Russians had strongly opposed the convening of the Commission, which followed the walkout of the Soviet bloc at the Geneva 10-nation disarmament talks last June.

Mr. Kuznetsov appeared to be in the best of humor when he confounded predictions by turning up for the session.

He went over to Mr. Lodge and warmly shook his hand. Mr. Lodge is customarily reluctant to be photographed shaking hands with a Soviet delegate, but he returned the Russian's greeting and smiled amiably.

### PROPOSAL

Introducing his first proposal, Mr. Lodge said the United States was prepared to end production of fissionable materials for weapons purposes, on a reciprocal basis with the Soviet Union.

The transfer of 30,000 kilograms of U-235 by the United States and a similar amount by the Soviet Union to peaceful uses would mean "an immediate and sizable reduction in the nuclear threat," Mr. Lodge said.

Such an amount if used in modern nuclear weapons would generate an explosive force well over 1,000 times greater than that of all the high explosive bombs dropped in world war two.—UPI and Reuter.

## Britain's No. 1 policewoman dies

London, Aug. 16.  
Britain's No. 1 policewoman, Miss Barbara Denis de Vitre, has died here aged 54.

Miss de Vitre rose from a £3 a week constable in Sheffield to become the first woman in the post of assistant inspector of constabulary at the Home Office, the position she held when she died.

Her job was to advise on all conditions affecting police-women, including uniform styles.

The dowdy long skirts and heavy boots in which she first pounded the beat were replaced by a more attractive uniform worn with black nylon.

### ADVISER

Miss de Vitre spent six months in Cairo in the 1930's as a special investigator for the Central Narcotics Bureau.

After the Second World War, she advised the United States authorities on the use of women police in the American zone of Germany.

She went to Cyprus in 1957 to advise on setting up a women's force there.

Last year, Miss de Vitre visited the Irish Republic, at the invitation of the Irish police.

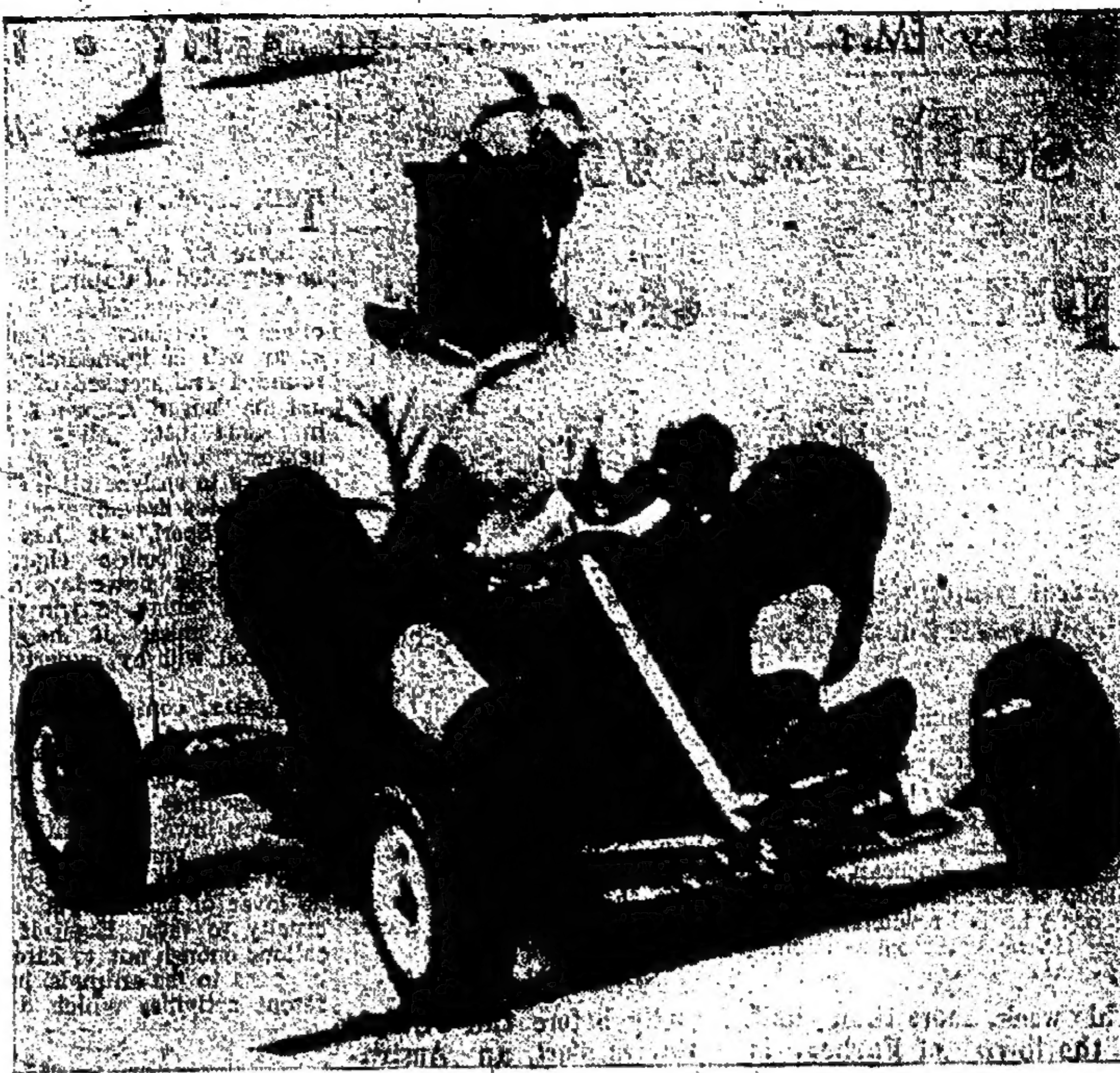
In 1958, she made history as the first woman to attend a conference of Interpol, the international police organisation.—China Mail Special.

## Rebels active in west Java

Bandung, Aug. 16.  
There has been an upsurge of terrorist activity in west Java with the approach of Indonesia's independence day tomorrow.

Twenty-seven villagers have been killed, at least 17 wounded, and homes and vehicles burnt in raids on townships and estates in the past week.

West Java is the main stronghold of the fanatic Darul Islam rebels, whose aim is to establish a theocratic state in Indonesia.—Reuter.



Picture shows: The man behind the wheel is more commonly seen in the seat of a Jaguar. Gloved, goggled and crash-helmeted, the Duke of Kent has been cutting a dash on the go-karting circuits of Germany where he is in the Army. The experts say: He shows great promise and corners like a veteran. — Express Photo.

## Walked across Australia to prove doctors wrong

## British musical for Germany

London, Aug. 16.  
A British musical "exported" to Germany in an attempt to secure a corner of the European theatrical market will open in Munich tonight.

A gay musical about underworld life in Soho, London's cosmopolitan district, "The Crooked Mile" has been translated into German and will feature a cast of more than 100 with an orchestra of 60.

### OPPORTUNITY

Presented by Don Gemmell and Reginald Woolley, who brought the successful British musical "The Boy Friend" to Broadway, "The Crooked Mile" ran for six months in London's West End.

After its opening at the Garner Platz Theatre, Munich, it will be played throughout Germany.

Mr. Gemmell said last night "we feel there is tremendous opportunity abroad for Britain to prove it can present a quality musical show"—China Mail Special.



Opera singer Maria Callas has told her friends that she and Greek shipping millionaire Aristotle Onassis want to get married. A close friend of Onassis said: "I'm sure they will be married before the end of the year." There's one snag: Callas is 44 and married to Giovanni Meneghini. Picture shows: Callas arriving last week in Athens for rehearsals of "Norma" at Epidaurus Theatre. — Express Photo.

# Woman in flames MURDER TRIAL OF AFRICANS

Ndola, Northern Rhodesia, Aug. 16.  
London-born Mrs Lillian Burton died of a beating received after she struggled in flames from her car which Africans had set on fire, the prosecutor said today at the opening of the trial here of four Africans charged with murdering her.

Previously it had been believed that Mrs Burton, 39-years-old mother of four children, died of burns.

The accused Africans are Edward Ngebe, 27, unemployed clerk, Chanda John, 26, painter, Robert Kamana, 18, and James Phiri, 20.

Mr. Paul Counsell, for the Crown, said that on May 8, after an illegal meeting in Chituba African township, near Ndola, several crowds of Africans went to the Ndola-Mutlira main road.

"One of the crowds stopped Mrs Burton's car," he said.

"Ngebe poured petrol over the car and Mrs Burton, setting them alight."

Mr. Counsell continued: "Mrs Burton got out with her two young daughters and Chanda and Phiri kicked and beat them."

"I intend to produce medical evidence that as a result of the beating, Mrs Burton later died in Ndola Hospital."

(Mrs Burton's daughters, Rosemary, 12, and Debbie, four, who were with her at the time, were not seriously injured and recovered in hospital. Her two other children were at home at the time of the attack.)

The case continues.—China Mail Special.

## 8-month voyage in trawler

Auckland, Aug. 16.  
Ten English migrants, including two women, sailed into port here today after an eight-month voyage from Britain in the 75-foot Scottish trawler, Aberdeen Angus.

Since leaving home in November, they had weathered a hurricane in the Bay of Biscay, and seen South Seas islands.

The skipper, Mr. L. C. Royle, a former army officer, said the party all put up money to buy the trawler. It now would be sold here, and money refunded.—China Mail Special.

## 13 MINERS TRAPPED

Johannesburg, Aug. 16.  
Thirteen miners have been trapped by a rock-fall in a goldmine within Johannesburg city limits, a spokesman for the mine company announced today. The fall of rock about 2,500 feet underground was caused by a severe earth tremor which shook Johannesburg this morning.

Thirty-four African miners and one white miner were trapped, the spokesman said. Immediate rescue operations were started and 22 Africans brought out safely.—Reuter.

## Priest charged with rape surrenders

San Antonio, Aug. 16.  
The Rev. John B. Feit, Roman Catholic priest charged with assault to rape, surrendered to officers today and immediately asserted that he is innocent.

Fr Feit made \$10,000 bond, signed by two priests and a construction firm executive.

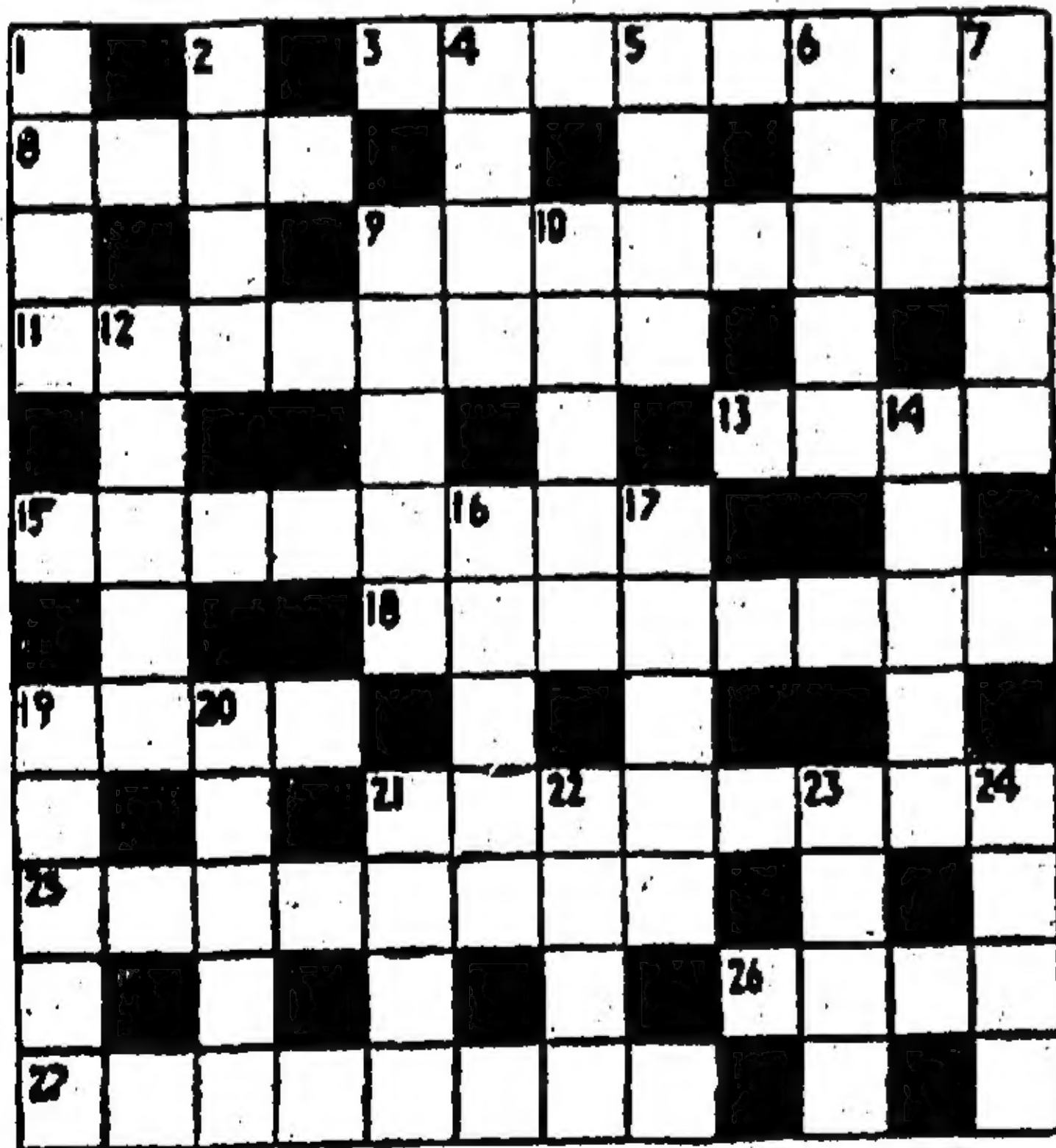
Miss Maria America Guerra, 20, a student at the Pan-American College in Edinburg, Texas, brought the complaint against the priest.

She said she was seized as she knelt to pray in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church on March 23. She said she felt her assailant on a finger as they struggled, and he fled.

Fr Feit, surrounded by a mass of reporters and photographers, declared today:

"I am not guilty of the offence for which I have been indicted. I am not a fugitive and have never been a fugitive. I have not been in hiding from anyone because I have nothing to hide."—AP.

## A British Crossword Puzzle



- ACROSS**
- Really stunning finish. (8)
  - Put down when new? (4)
  - Unit of current importance. (8)
  - Couple allowed an armband. (8)
  - Sound like laughter. (4)
  - Devote to a good purpose. (8)
  - Band of metal for a barrel. (8)
  - Watches. (4)
  - Making a pile. (8)
  - Can it not be paper money? (4, 4)
  - May be top or bottom. (4)
  - Unpunctuality. (8)
- DOWN**
- Card for youth? (4)
  - Pa is in town. (4)
  - Finger-up, shall we say? (4)
  - You idiot! (4)
  - Stand and deliver—a speech? (5)
  - Additional answer. (8)
  - Vessel or what the Cockney caught? (8)
  - Tells a boy to play slowly. (5)
  - Very thin in tone. (8)
  - Origin of a tree. (8)
  - Main trunk of the artery system. (8)
  - Notable period in history. (8)
  - Girl in oblivion in Lethe. (8)
  - Species of heron. (8)
  - Look over carefully. (4)
  - Extensive invitation. (8)
  - Mountain goat. (4)
  - Beginning of an idea? (4)

**YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD**—Across: 1. Faggot; 4. Girl; 7. Neurasthenia; 8. Soled; 9. Honest; 11. Rutland; 13. Betoken; 16. Census; 18. Loose; 19. Peep-show; 20. Ten-or; 21. Nest-or. Down: 1. Finch; 2. Gorse; 3. Theatre; 4. Gussie; 5. Refrains; 8. Healed; 10. Nitrogen; 11. Unclean; 13. Ballet; 14. Keeper; 16. Nones; 17. Sower.

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Australian newsletter by EMH

# First self-service petrol pump; dollar area car imports

Sydney's first self-service petrol pump was installed this week in a service station in Bronte-road, Waverley in an effort to help the owner combat falling petrol sales.

Mr Jim Fenton, who brought the pump from Melbourne, said so many service stations were being built in Sydney, that he and his partner decided to install the machine so that motorists could obtain petrol after the regular hours for selling.

Drivers could serve themselves by placing 2/- pieces in a slot. Price of petrol in Sydney is 3/- per gallon. But the Minister for Labour and Industry, Mr Maloney, said that Mr Fenton would be prosecuted if he sold outside legal trading hours.

A spokesman for the Shell Company, which operates the garage, said that other Shell dealers, one at Gladesville and the other at Bankstown were installing self service pumps and they congratulated the dealers on their initiative.

A large number are already operating in Victoria. The pump is completely automatic and a safety device on the hose prevents petrol flowing except when the nozzle is in a tank.

A bush horse named Jim-bourne Pride, and which cost its owner £50 has been entered for the Melbourne Cup in November by a brother of the owner who will train it for the big race.

The Cinderella horse, a giant bay gelding of 17 hands is owned by Mr and Mrs Angus McPhee of the small township of Bell (540 people) in Queensland, and Mr Albert McPhee, who holds a trainers license, entered the horse in the Melbourne Cup without the knowledge of the owner.

Giving his pedigree, he was sired by Partellon, a British champion who won races at Newmarket and Epsom, and his dam was Cullford, who is related to another champion High Force, who in turn is related to the great Carbine.

Mr Albert McPhee said he knows a good horse when he sees one, and this is the best one he has ever had, and he feels he is capable of winning the Cup, Tulloch or not.

He is determined to run him and very few horses have been balloted out of the Cup in recent years, so who knows.

Geelong Grammar School in Melbourne is to have a new headmaster, and he arrived this week from England on a ten day visit.

He is Mr T. R. Garnett, a master of Marlborough College, and while here, he will have discussions with Dr J. R. Darling, who has been headmaster of Geelong Grammar for 31 years.

Mr Garnett, 45 years of age, with five children whose ages range from 6 years to 13, said he accepted the invitation because "there is more room here" and he feels that his family is at an age when, if he decided to move, this would be the time.



MR T. R. GARNETT

He played county cricket for Wiltshire, a minor county, until he was appointed to his present position, and says he still hasn't retired from cricket.

He was met at Essendon Airport by the Anglican Archbishop of Melbourne, Dr Frank Woods, who is President of Geelong Grammar School council.

This week, more than half the town of Forbes is covered with raging flood waters from the swollen Lachlan River.

The town is cut in three, the main business section is an island half a mile square, and no one can enter or leave the town except by boat.

The flood struck nearly 24 hours before the time predicted and this is the third worst flood in the history of the town. Some shops and houses are flooded up to four feet deep and residents who had expected the flood to hit about midday had barely enough time to change out of their night clothes and pack a few essentials before leaving their homes, although the flood has reached its peak.

Forbes will be isolated for another few days but the town has ample food.

The Lachlan was running at 34 feet 4 1/2 inches which is only half an inch below the 1950 peak. Cows, sixty miles away, has also been inundated with swirling flood waters and some families there were forced to flee the rapidly rising waters.

After a few warm Spring days, Sydney is back to winter again with cold winds making conditions unpleasant, and this past weekend has been the coldest August weather for 57 years.

Thousands of American second-hand cars are reported to be stacked up in Honolulu ready to be exported to Australia as soon as permission is given.

This would seriously affect the Australian motor car industry as many of the cars at Honolulu are the very modern types, and could be bought at "ridiculously low prices."

The Director of the Associated Chambers of Manufacturers said the Federal Government should maintain a watch on its import policy as a crisis could quickly build up for Australian car manufacturers.

However Sydney traders said that the cars would not be an economical proposition, as importation costs would have to be paid and there would be considerable expense involved in converting cars from left to right hand drive, which in the

case of the more expensive cars would cost about £500.

The question too of obtaining spare parts to keep the vehicles road worthy was also an important factor, and at present there is no organised move to invade the Australian market with the second-hand American cars.

Shortly before the Olympic Games start, an Australian fencer will be seen on the London to Dover Road, thumbing his way to Rome.

He is 33-year-old John Simpson, already victor of two world championships, and now, without funds, he will start out from his bed sitting room in Notting Hill, determined to win a medal for Australia.

A resident of Double Bay, he has been working in London as



FENCER SIMPSON

a clerk in a chemical factory, using practically all of his weekly earnings to pay for private tuition with Professor Paul, the grand old man of British fencing, who has high hopes for the budding Aussie.

So interested has he become in John that he reduced his fees, and the usual twenty minute session was shortened to a hard ten minutes for two shillings, with the proviso that John wins in Rome.

He represented Australia at the Cardiff Games in 1958 and reached the finals after eliminating one of England's top internationalists, Mike Howard. He decided to stay and further his fencing career and later defeated Bill Hoskyns, world champion epee and Alan Jay, world champion foil.

At one stage he entered a sponsored cross Channel swim, hoping to raise enough money to help him in the Olympic Games, but this would have jeopardised his amateur status, and so it fell through.

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The Lord Jesus Christ will be revealed from heaven... taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel.—II Thessalonians 1:7, 8.

Any real authority is a threat to those who rebel against it as well as a source of security to those who obey.

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# Welfare state—a tragic blunder, says financier

## 'How we treat drunks in Russia'

London, Aug. 16. Showing a drunk a photograph of himself under the influence of alcohol would probably do more to cure him than taking him to court, a Russian delegate to the United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention said here.

Mr. Lev Smirnov, deputy chairman of the Soviet Supreme Court, told a congress meeting that a "people's patrol" charged with maintaining public order, met and photographed a drunken youth in the street.

The youth was shown the photograph at his home next day. "It had a better effect than dragging him off to the police station. He never repeated the offence," Mr. Smirnov said.

The Soviet delegation did not want to give the impression that they "just come and beat everything" is fine in the Soviet Union.

There was a real problem of juvenile delinquency in their country but they believed education and persuasion would solve it better than the courts.

Mr. Smirnov also disclosed that stylings—the Russian equivalent of Britain's teddy boys—are fond of driving off other people's cars after a few glasses of vodka.

"Some of my friends have had their cars taken in this way," he added.

The problem is more than annoying and must be solved.

"Of course, we are fairly gentle with the offenders. There is no question of imprisonment. They are sent to centres."

Advantages

Mr. Smirnov said the Soviet authorities had some advantages over the West in preventing juvenile delinquency.

"We are not harassed by rock and roll, comic strips or films showing violence," China Mail Special.

Governor leaves tomorrow

Sir Edward Beetham, retiring Governor of Trinidad, will leave Hongkong by Cathay Pacific Airways for Singapore tomorrow.

Sir Edward Beetham is accompanied by Lady Beetham.

Australian MP

Mr. B. Snyder, Member of Victoria State Parliament, Australia is due to arrive in Hongkong by Cathay Pacific Airways from Singapore tomorrow.

Cow kicks man in the chest

A cow became annoyed and kicked a worker who was washing her at 3 am today in a cow shed at the Dairy Farm in Pokfulam-road.

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Raindrops will have legs!

Raindrops with legs and children enveloped winds will be seen in Hongkong at the end of this month.

# BANKRUPTCY WARNING

London Aug. 16. Britain will be reduced to a population of "second rate and feckless people in a state of national bankruptcy" if the welfare state continues, Mr. J. Bigson Jarvie, chairman of the United Dominions Trust—a big British finance house—said today.

Mr. Jarvie told the Trust's annual general meeting the welfare state in Britain was "a tragic blunder."

"The philosophy on which it rests is rotten to the core. It is destroying the best qualities of our people. It is producing a steady moral and mental destruction," he said.

"Self-reliance and independence are disappearing. We have got indiscipline and crime. In the welfare state, by reason of the specious promises of security, holidays with pay, pensions, and all sorts of free services, many who might have ventured abroad are induced to stay at home."

"Many have accepted the promise of the age of the common man at its face value with an easy life for all with responsibility on the government for providing it," Mr. Jarvie said.

Full belly

Britain needed something more courageous than an easy life, a false sense of security and "a full belly."

By allowing the British Empire to disintegrate Britain was failing the world and civilisation, he said.

"Without our active and forceful influence in world affairs, can you see progress, sanity and peace?" he asked.

America and Russia were materialistic countries inexperienced in world affairs, he added.

The United Dominions Trust consists of a group of 43 companies with a total capital and reserves of over £27,400,000.—China Mail Special.

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Together with deer, woodpeckers, rabbits with feathered tails, walking tree-trunks and two-legged leaves, they will dance at the Kings Theatre on August 30 and September 1 in Carol Baleman's ballet "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

One hundred and sixty of Miss Baleman's pupils will dance in the ballet, to music that has been specially selected from recordings of Walt Disney's "Pinocchio," "Bambi" and "Cinderella."

Boys of the Stanley and Cape Collinson Training Centres have been busy making "props" for the ballet during the last few weeks.

The Stanley Centre has made seven little beds and seven axes for the dwarfs. The Cape Collinson boys have made material-covered rattan heads for the deer and woodpeckers.

Six weeks ago a working party was formed by Mrs. James Norman, wife of the Commissioner for Prisons, the Countess S. de Robiano, wife of the Belgian Consul and Mrs. John Blaker, to design costumes for the ballet.

Mrs. Norman said that the designs were made up by two tailors. "But during the past week, we have been painting some of them to give more realistic effect to wings and tree-trunks."

Mrs. Norman said that the ballet would be danced before a completely black back-drop. "With the brilliant colours of the costumes, the effect should be most striking."

# Blue Streak may be space probe

London, Aug. 16. Mr. Peter Thorneycroft, Minister of Aviation, will visit Australia next month to discuss the possibility of using Blue Streak, Britain's long range rocket for space research, it was announced today.

Blue Streak was earlier this year dropped from the defence programme, and at the end of the Parliamentary session last month, it was stated that a senior minister would go to Australia to discuss Blue Streak's future.

Australia has a vital interest in Blue Streak which would be fired from the Woomera rocket range if used in a Commonwealth Space Research programme.

The dropping of Blue Streak from the missile programme has already cost Britain something like £100 million.

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If the Blue Streak Space programme failed to materialise, the Australian government would have wasted about £60 million.

Mr. Thorneycroft was appointed Minister of Aviation in the Cabinet reshuffle at the end of July, after two years out of the Government following his resignation as Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The announcement said that a group of British officials headed by Sir Stewart Mitchell, Controller of Guided Weapons, and Electronics at the Ministry of Aviation, would go to Australia ahead of Mr. Thorneycroft for preliminary talks with Australian officials.—China Mail Special.

TO AUSTRALIA

"The American satellite will have no effect on our Commonwealth plans for cables."

"We shall go right ahead as fast as possible."

Colonel McMillan said he could not comment on the merits or demerits of the two systems.

The next stage in the round-the-world multi-million Commonwealth cable connection to which Colonel McMillan referred is from Canada to Australia and New Zealand.

After that, the cable will go from Australia via Singapore back to Britain, linking India and Pakistan. There might be spurs into Africa and the West Indies.—Reuter.

Shorter week for car workers

Coventry, Aug. 16. The 1,500 production workers at the Daimler factory will soon start a three-day working week, a spokesman for Jaguar cars, which took over the Daimler factory in June, said today.

The spokesman said the short week would operate during a period of reorganisation and reintegration of Daimler production with that of Jaguar production.

Up to now most production men have been working a five-day week.—China Mail Special.

Bombs found?

Three small objects believed to be aerial bombs were found on the hillside above Stanley Prison this morning by a party of prisoners engaged in planting trees.

The Police Ballistics Officer has been called to the scene to examine the find.

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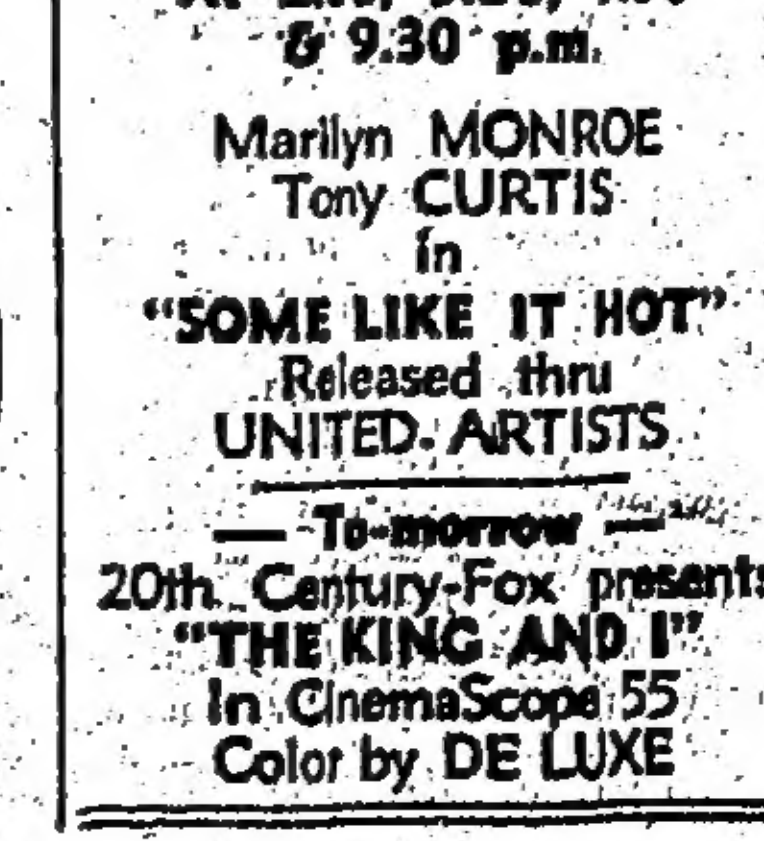
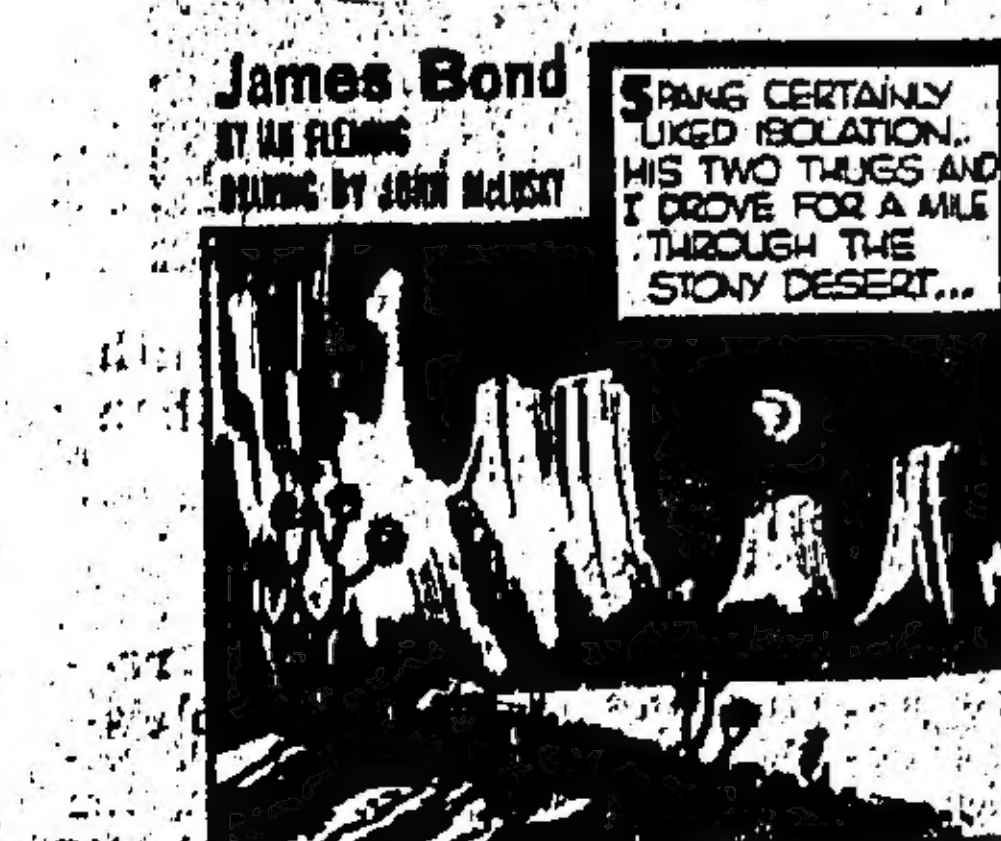
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But times have changed. The old-fashioned spy is still with us. Indeed, the Communist River or even a decision to give the Russian masses more consumer goods, are all of vital im-

—(London Express Service).

I think it is true — indeed now it is true, for I was a pilot in the Wing during the second half of September—that

deduced the lively tank movements of a German Panzer outfit from a personal advertisement.

ed Christians these activities play an valuable part in the Russian all offensive and put great strain a Western Intelligence resource

London Express Service

By LORD LAMBTON, M.P.

**His strength**  
Nor is there any reason why Mr. Selwyn Lloyd—58 now—should not make an outstanding success in his new office.

## His strength

Nor is there any reason why Mr Selwyn Lloyd—58 now—should not make an outstanding success in his new office.

I have known Mr Selwyn Lloyd very well for the last six years, for two of which I was his Parliamentary Private Secretary, and it is impossible to know him and not to have a

***His manner***

Many interested eyes are fixed on him at the moment; there are rumours that we are now seeing a repetition of a play that was acted a few years

## His manner

## The question

moment is to wish Mr. Serwyn Lloyd the best of luck. Though I have had many bitter battles with him in the past, I am delighted to do this.

And there is always the com-

—MARK TWAIN.  
—(London: Vagabond Series).

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studying electro-magnetism in the Polar area. But such study is also vital if the West are to have warning of Russian attack.

New developments, which are

The Imperial spy today is no longer a fast man with a gun. He is a technician with

Yet this may well result from the fact that he achieved great office before he was fully prepared for it. Indeed his brusque-

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Nothing so needs re-  
forming as other people's  
habits.



# WOMANSENSE

VERONICA PAPWORTH

## ETERNALLY MINE—THOSE LOVELY RASPBERRIES!

THE awful thing is that I can't help being glad to see the end of the raspberries. For years I swore I never had enough—so sweet but so brief was their perfect picking time. And so hard did I swear, that the number of canes was doubled for me this summer, with slightly surfeiting results.

Marie Antoinette-wise, I delight, now and then, in being a super-efficient housewife.

Which is all very well in winter. But, with far too much garden around, the summer finds me perpetually challenged by SOME DAMN CROP.

Indeed, the challenges come so thick and fast that no sooner have I finished with the blackcurrant than it is time for the elderberry wine. And no sooner is the wine blowing its cork in all directions than I find myself calling on every acquaintance who might care to accept a few lettuces.

That is if they don't call on me first!

There must be something wrong with our village crop rotation.

Either everyone has so much lettuce they are on the point of inviting the rabbits in to help them out, or there is a famine, and the odd seedlings, picked far too young, change hands in the local at a shilling apiece! The week before last I packed the deep-freeze with raspberries and departed for Paris. There wasn't any more room anyway, and the raspberries, I decided were finished.

### Total success

I returned to find a second, splendid crop.

"Jam!" said I to myself—"if only there were someone to eat it."

My family will take cheese, sausages, tinned sardines, salami—even snails for tea. But not jam.

Bottling was surely the answer—and the "oven method" so simple. It might have been had I not gone to bed and forgotten my bottles.

A strange, brown, coffee-like smell erupted out from under the kitchen door at dawn the following morning and rose to disturb me—"My bottled fruit!"

It is the only time I have ever had total success with those wretched sealed lids.

Nothing, I swear, will shift mine.

I have labelled the jars with splendid white squares and fine, spidery writing—"Raspberries"—but no date.

Like flies in amber they will stay for ever—sealed in their tall glass coffins, unstartled, but a magnificent showpiece for my store cupboard.

## Ah, that Eskimo charmer—whatever was his name?

WE were talking about Eskimos. "They are not all like the characters in that film *The Savage Innocents*," I told my husband. "I once had an Eskimo boy friend and you would be surprised just how sophisticated he was."

"When it comes to your old boy friends," said my husband, "nothing surprises me."

I added that he was not entirely Eskimo—only his mother. Or, on second thoughts, she might have been a Laplander.

"At all events, he had a perfectly good English name."

"It began with an R—Richardson, or something."

No, not Richardson. R-r... R-r... Of course I had not forgotten it.

### Fancy waistcoats

I could see him so clearly in my mind—with his almond-shaped eyes, his little fast car, his passion for fancy waistcoats, and his absolutely ordinary name beginning with an R... or was it B?

Brown? Blenkinsop? Battersby?—Maddeningly the name eluded me all morning.

I played cat and mouse with it—abandoning any thoughts of that sporting, northern charmer for minutes on end. Then pouncing—without success.

Could it have been Buchanan? Never! He had neither the face nor the legs for a kill! I never forget a name—not quite forget it, that is.

But why in the world do so many, sliding out from the back of my mind, linger for so long on the tip of my tongue?

Got it—Booth!

No, he came later and he was an Irishman.

Association of ideas has often saved me.

I'll never forget the telephone number of my first butcher because it was the registration number of my first car backwards and added an O.

All very easy—but not the slightest help with that son of an Eskimo mother.

So eventually he drifted out of my mind until, late that night, I got it.

"Williamson," I shouted. Oh, blessed little almond-eyed Williamson in his fancy waistcoat.

"Funny," said my husband, "I never spell Williamson with an R."



Unstable—but magnificent...

## CHILDREN'S CORNER

### Chirpie Tells About Colt

Knarf Wants a Ride on His Back

By MAX TRELL

CHIRPIE SPARROW came to the window sill for his bread-crumbs. Hearing him pecking away at the crumbs, Knarf the Shadow-Boy, opened the window.

"Good morning, Chirpie," he said.

"Mornin' m'boy," said Chirpie.

"What's the news today?" asked Knarf.

### Collected news

Chirpie Sparrow was like a newspaper. He went all over the neighbourhood. He spoke to everybody. He found out what-ever was new. Then he flew around and told all his friends.

"Not very much new today," Chirpie finally answered, after he had finished all the bread-crumbs and had neatly wiped his bill on the edge of the window sill.

"I've been flying around since early this morning, but the only one I had a chance to have conversation with was a Colt. I met this Colt—"

### What's a colt?

"Just a minute, please," interrupted Knarf. "What's a Colt?"

"It's a young Horse," said Chirpie.

"A Puppy's a young Dog, a Kitten's a young Cat, a Calf's a young Cow, a Colt's a young Horse. Get it?"

"Got it," said Knarf. "What happened?"

"Well," said Chirpie, "I noticed this Colt chewing grass in a field so I flew down on a fence. I whistled to him to come over."

"Mornin' Colt," I said. "How are things with you?"

"Introduced themselves"

"Okay," said the Colt. "My name's Bud."

"Mine's Chirpie," I said.

"What are you doing in this field?"

"Eating grass," said Bud, the Colt.

"The farmer put me here. Eat lots of grass, Bud," he said, and by and by, when you get big enough and strong enough, I'll start training you to take the youngsters out for a ride on your back."



"How are things with you?" Chirpie asked the Colt.

Chirpie looked at Knarf. He cocked his head and squinted at him.

"Why did you say that, Knarf?"

"I'd like to find that Colt," said Knarf.

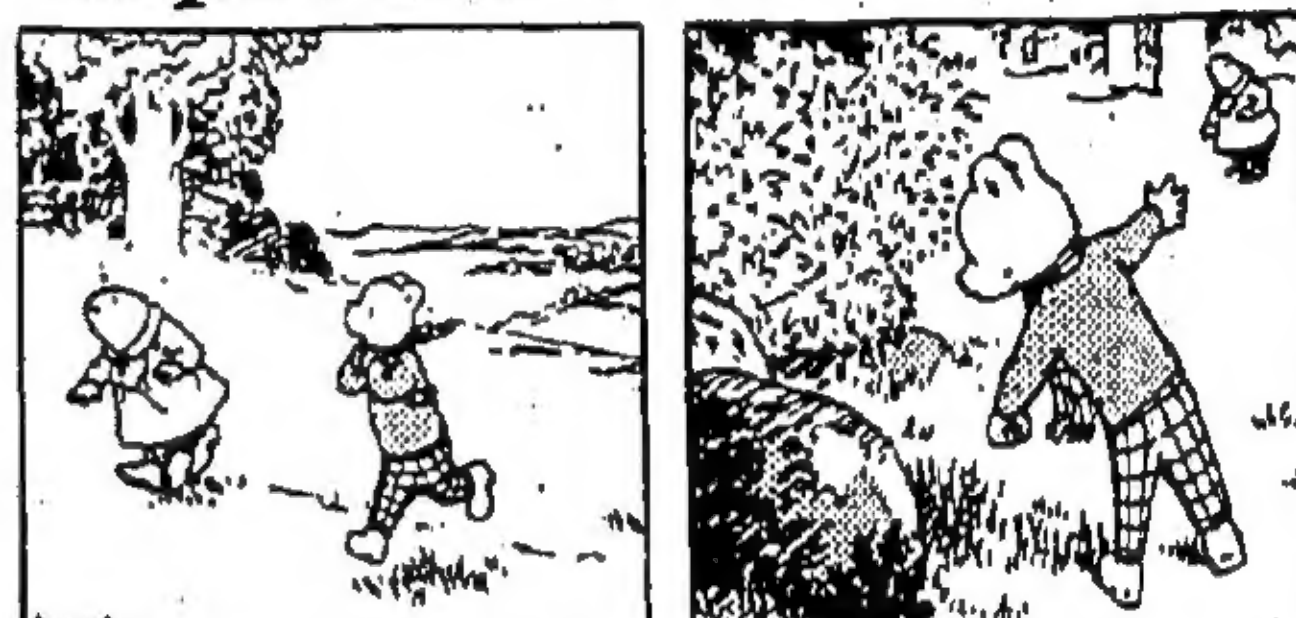
### Laughed again

Chirpie was silent for a second or two. Then he gave his little bird-laugh again.

"I bet I know why you'd like to find that Colt," said Chirpie. "You'd like to take a ride on his back, eh?"

"You will, you will. Just wait till he grows up and you will," said Chirpie, as he flew away from the window sill and his voice grew fainter and fainter.

### Rupert and the Gonnies—17



After Gregory has carefully examined Rupert's yellow spots he agrees to run back towards his own garden, so the little bear grabs his scarf and off they run. "They've both been painted the same yellow, all over," puffs Gregory as they trot uphill, "but ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

## JACOBY on BRIDGE

The first step in slam bidding is to see that your side has enough potential tricks to make a slam. You can't make one if you don't have 12 winners even though you hold all the aces and kings. So the principal value of Blackwood is to check for aces as a means of keeping out of impossible slams and not as a means of getting to good ones.

North and South have enough potential tricks to make a grand slam, but the trouble is that they must lose two aces before they get around to their own tricks.

South likes his hand when he looks at it and after North responds with three diamonds to the opening heart bid, South really expects a slam. His three-heart rebid is merely to mark time before the final count down.

NORTH 30			
AKQ7			
AKJ985			
42			
WEST 2			
A1086			
32			
1072			
A843			
EAST 39532			
54			
43			
10887			
SOUTH (D)			
4			
AJ10886			
Q8			
KQJ5			
Both vulnerable			
South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	3♦	Pass
3♥	Pass	4NT	Pass
5♦	Pass	5♥	Pass
Pass	Pass		
Opening lead—A♠			

As for North the heart rebid is music to his ears. His three hearts to the king-queen look like solid gold. A small slam ought to be there and if only North will show three aces there should be a grand slam.

So North has a perfect Blackwood situation and goes to four no-trump. This forces North to bid five diamonds to show his one ace and South sees that there is no slam. He signs off at five hearts.

South probably toys with the idea of going to the slam anyway, but finally respects his partner's decision and Blackwood has saved another rubber.

### 4-CARD Sense

Q—The bidding has been: South West North East 1♥ 1♠ 2♦ 2♠

You, South, hold: A♠ K♥ Q♦ K♠ A1054 What do you do?

A—Bid three no-trump. You hope your partner will be able to find another bid.

### TODAY'S QUESTION

Your partner jumps to five diamonds. What do you do now? Answer Tomorrow

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17

**AQUARIUS** (January 21-February 19): A financial arrangement that has been in preparation for some time ought to be concluded today.

**PISCES** (February 20-March 20): Although a certain risk may be involved in a commercial transaction, you are well advised to go ahead with it and trust to your proverbial luck.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): When applying for a new and interesting job, don't depend too much on personal charm. The emphasis will be on your skill and experience.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Don't waste time going into details about a joint venture until you are fully convinced of the integrity of your proposed partner.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21): By co-operating with your associates you will find that your work, although strenuous, will be accomplished with much less strain.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 21): By getting into an argument with a superior you may forfeit your prospects of early advancement.

**LEO** (July 22-August 21): If you plan your social

activities a few weeks ahead, you will be able to catch up with some long standing obligations.

**VIRGO** (August 22-September 22): Your habit of day-dreaming will not bring you the success you crave. You are more likely to achieve it by giving full attention to your work.

**LIBRA** (September 23-October 22): On going through your accounts you will be relieved to find that your position is better than you thought it was.

**SCORPIO** (October 23-November 21): Your hard struggle to get ahead will soon become easier, thanks to the helpful intervention of a member of your family.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22-December 21): A tip from a friend could involve you in financial loss. It would be safer to disregard it and rely on your own judgment.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22-January 20): News from abroad will allay certain fears you have had about the fate of an old friend.

**YOUR LUCKY CARD:** If this is your birthday, your lucky card, no matter what game you may be playing, ought to be the TEN of CLUBS.

## TAKE A LETTER, MISS FASHION



Victor Josephine Victor Josephine Wendy

### Dear office girl,

EVERY city has its equivalent of the grey brigade rushing to offices at nine in the morning. Men just started the 'grey brigade' when they chose grey as the uniform colour for the city slicker and now the go-ahead office girl is beginning to follow suit. Not only office girls but executive-types too have begun to appreciate the charms of grey cleverly used by fashion designers for clothes that take them simply and pleasantly through the hours of nine to five.

These days the appearance of the office junior can give a strong clue whether she's going to get on or not.

Strike just the right fashion note with a plain grey flannel dress on the new lunatic line that has a smartly buttoned, fully lined front panel to the skirt.

For the girl who prefers a full skirt, it's back to chalk stripes again this time with unpressed pleats all round. The faraway neckline has a small neat collar, and the cinched-in waistline boasts a half patent—half fabric belt.

Even further into the future—you're now a fully fledged executive with a day that can be part office routine, part inter-viewing or talking to clients and the chance of an unexpected business lunch or dinner. Top executive choice, I suggest, is a grey flannel two-piece in top quality worsted in a dark charcoal shade.

Typist or tycoon—the rule is the same—discreet but not dowdy. Make your first fashion investment a warm, pure wool frock that will wear well, resist office creases and come up like new no matter how often it's cleaned.

Lastly, when choosing that dress or two-piece give bonus marks for detachable trimmings, lined skirts, good-looking buttons and belts, and styles simple enough to go on for ever!

Yours sincerely,

Jan Wiseman



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## Major upset in yesterday's Open Singles lawn bowls

By ROBERT TAY

One major upset was registered yesterday in the quarter-final matches of the Colony Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship.

Playing exceptionally fine bowls W. Chambers of Kowloon Dock Club eliminated current 'Champion of champions' and Empire Games bowler A. P. Pereira of Recreio by 21-16.

Brilliant late rallies featured two of the other three matches. At the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, D. C. Symons fought back from 11-20 to score a surprising 21-20 victory against Indian Recreation Club's Sherry Bucks, and at the Hongkong Football Club, F. W. Hollands of Police Recreation Club after being 0-9 and 9-15 down against IRC's A. M. Omar came back strongly in the late stages to take the match by 24-19.

### BEST GAME

The best game of the afternoon, however, was seen in the clash at the Hongkong Football Club between the two former champions M. B. Hassan and F. R. Kermani.

Both players produced some exceptionally fine bowls and although the final score was 21-14 in favour of Kermani, the game was much more closely fought out than the score would indicate, and was in fact one worthy of being a final.

Hassan took an early 8-3 lead after the first 11 heads, but Kermani gradually gained his touch and drew level at 10-10 on the 17th head. For the next five heads, the two bowlers fought it out neck-to-neck.

Kermani moved slightly ahead with a single on the next head and followed it up with his best head in the match. He rested Hassan'soucher with this second wood and did it again with his third wood after Hassan had in turn rested out the first shot. Kermani then drew another shot within a few inches of the jack to chalk up a three on this head and take a commanding 18-14 lead. A single and a two on the next two heads completed the match.

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

#### MEN'S OPEN SINGLES

Quarter-finals  
F. R. Kermani (KCC) beat M. B. Hassan (IRC) 21-14.  
F. W. Hollands (PRC) beat A. M. Omar (IRC) 24-19.  
W. Chambers (KDC) beat A. P. Pereira (Recreio) 21-16.  
D. C. Symons (KCC) beat S. Bucks (IRC) 21-20.

#### LADIES' OPEN SINGLES

Second round  
Mrs J. Banks (KCC) beat Mrs E. Edwards (HKSC) 21-19.  
Mrs J. Liddell (KBGC) beat Mrs D. Bichenor (KBGC) 23-20.  
First round  
A. B. Marques and Mrs M. Rosario (Recreio) beat Mr and Mrs G. A. Souza (CCC) 24-11.

## Seven-wicket win for Springboks

Canterbury, Aug. 16.

The South African tourists won their seventh match against County opposition when they beat Kent by 160 runs here today.

Springbok captain Jackie McGlew declared the South Africans' second innings at 236 for nine wickets, setting Kent the task of scoring 316 in 230 minutes. Kent, however, never looked like troubling the South Africans and they were all out for 155.

Athol McKinnon, the tourists' slow left-arm bowler made a bid for a place in the team to play the final Test against England, by taking four wickets for 62 runs in a match analysis of 11 for 135.

Off-spinner Hugh Tayfield claimed three wickets for 51 to bring his tally of wickets on the tour to 102.

### A stand

The South Africans hit out gallily in the morning, scoring 129 in 110 minutes before McGlew declared at 236 for nine. Jon Felton-Smith completed his second 50 of the match, hitting nine fours in a stay of 100 minutes.

Kent got themselves into difficulties when they lost their

# YORKSHIRE REGAIN LEAD

## 10-wicket win over Leicester while Lancs lose to Essex

London, Aug. 16.

Yorkshire regained the lead in the English County Cricket Championship today when they beat Leicestershire by ten wickets at Leeds and Lancashire lost to Essex by nine wickets at Southend.

The reigning champions needed only seven to win after dismissing Leicestershire for 189, and got them off five deliveries just before lunch to put their average up to 8.07.

Leicestershire had followed on after scoring only 110 in reply to Yorkshire's 293, and improved little on their overnight 106 for three — the only real opposition coming from opener Maurice Hallam, who scored 64.

Essex wanted 16 to complete a notable 'double' of victories, first over Yorkshire and then over Lancashire today, which pushed both sides from the top of the table.

Lancashire, too, had followed on, but only added 198 to their first innings 106 in reply to the Essex declaration at 289 for nine. There was opposition from Jack Dyson (60) and Geoff Clayton (38) who put on 84 for the seventh wicket, but with off-spinner Alan Hurd taking

## Argentinian's successful Channel swim

Dover, Aug. 16.

A burly 29-year-old Argentinian swimmer, Alfredo Camarero, today became the second swimmer to conquer the English Channel this summer.

He swam the 22-mile stretch of water from the coast of France to Southeast England in 12 hours and 22 minutes.

This was well outside the record of 10 hours and 40 minutes set up by an Egyptian, Assan Abdel Rehim, 10 years ago.

A number of Channel attempts have been made this summer but until today the only other successful swimmer had been a 22-year-old Kent news agent, Michael Jennings, who completed the France-England crossing in 13 hours and 31 minutes.—Reuters.

## BASKETBALL RESULTS

Results of today's Olympic qualifying basketball tournament matches were:  
Belgium 76, Canada 60.  
Greece 71, Switzerland 54.  
Hungary 102, Britain 49.  
Spain 77, Surinam 55.  
Czechoslovakia 86, Taiwan 67.

—AP.

## TOUGH GERMANS BANK ON 24 MEDALS

# ARMIN HARY HEADS GOLD HOPES

Expect Germany's Olympic team to be our strongest ever — except for the Berlin Olympics of 1936 when Germany "lost" all other nations. True, some other countries will also be stronger than in Melbourne, 1956, but I still forecast we shall bring home at least 24 medals.

Our total in the Melbourne and Stockholm (riding) Olympics was six gold, 13 silver, and seven bronze medals. This time the riding is being held with other events in Rome.

One reason for German optimism is the tough selection procedure.

As well as fighting their way to the top in East or West Germany, most competitors have had to face East-West German eliminators to reach the all-German team.

Leading hope

A leading hope is 23-year-old Armin Hary, a Rhineland instrument maker. He recently clipped one-tenth of a second off the 100 metres world record, clocking 10.2 sec.

Hary has evolved a start which enables him to fall into the right running rhythm after only three steps.

Carl Kaufmann, a young Karlsruhe opera singer, aims to take four seconds off his own best 400 metres time of 45.4 sec.

Kaufmann, Ruhr policeman Manfred Kinder (best time 45.8 sec.), Jochen Reske (48.5 sec.), and Cologne's Johannes Kaiser (49.4 sec.), are out to beat the Jamaican relay record of 3min. 3.9 sec. in the 4 x 400 relay.

German "National Peoples Army" officer Siegfried

Results in today's matches were:  
At Southend: Essex beat Lancashire by nine wickets. Essex 289 for nine declared and 16 for one. Lancashire 108 and 198 (J. Dyson 60, A. Hurd five for 47). Essex 14 points.  
At Birmingham: Warwickshire beat Glamorgan by seven wickets. Glamorgan 211 for nine declared and 185 (A. Lewis 71). Warwickshire 286 for seven declared and 114 for three (M. Smith 48 not out). Warwickshire 14 points.

At Cheltenham: Gloucestershire beat Hampshire by six wickets. Hampshire 315 for six declared and 116 (H. Horton 52, D. Allen five for 31). Gloucestershire 265 and 182 for four (R. Nicholls 44, D. Young 114 not out). Gloucestershire 12 points, Hampshire four points.

At Lord's: Middlesex beat Surrey by eight wickets. Surrey 281 and 162. Middlesex 282 for seven declared and 162 for two (R. Gale 80 not out). Middlesex 12 points.

At Kidderminster: Somerset beat Worcestershire by nine wickets. Worcestershire 251 for nine declared and 216 for six declared (M. Horton 73, D. Richardson 66). Somerset 243 and 225 for one (C. Aikman 115 not out). Somerset 12 points.

At Here: Match drawn. Sussex 336 for five declared. Northamptonshire 170 and 370 for seven (M. Norman 51, P. Watts 64, B. Crump 21, P. Tyson 82). Sussex four points.

At Nottingham: Derbyshire beat Nottinghamshire by nine wickets. Nottinghamshire 26 and 97. Derbyshire 288 for nine declared and 71 for one. Derbyshire 12 points.

At Leeds: Yorkshire beat Leicestershire by 10 wickets. Yorkshire 293 and 110 for no wicket. Leicestershire 190 and 189. Yorkshire 14 points.—Reuters.



By Adolf Scherer  
Sports writer of Dusseldorf

### Watch Hans

Another East German Army officer, Hans Grodzinski, was tipped by Olympic victor Valentin Kur (Russia) as his successor over 5,000 and 10,000 metres.

Twenty-eight-year-old Grodzinski has done the 5,000 metres under 13min. 50sec. and the 10,000 metres under 29min. Over 3,000 metres he has threatened Gordon Pirie's world record (7min. 52.8sec.) with a time of 7min. 54.2sec.

Dr Manfred Steinbach, a young general practitioner from the Volkswagen city of Wolfsburg, should clear eight metres in the long jump—sufficient for a medal. His best so far is 7.93 metres.

Two swimming hopes in the 200 metres breaststroke are East German sailor Egon Henninger, European record holder (2min. 37.4sec.), and pretty brunette Wiltrud Urselmann, women's world record holder (2min. 50.2sec.).

London Express Service.

## New name for The 'Bluebird' arrives in America for speed record attempt

Boston, Aug. 16.

A 4½-million dollar jet turbine car, brought from England to try for a world land speed record, arrived in Boston today.

Before the "Bluebird" was even off the ship, a legal snarl developed over shipment to Utah where Donald Campbell will attempt to break the 394.10 mph speed record at Utah's Bonneville Salt Flats.

The problem concerned the name of the team from the Communist China. The Organising Committee had listed the Nationalist contingent—Red China is not a member of the International Olympic Committee and therefore cannot compete in the Games—as Taiwan (Formosa).

The Nationalists threatened a walkout unless the name was changed and all sort of diplomatic incidents threatened.

A member of the Italian Olympic Committee has proposed a compromise, accepted by Nationalist China, to be submitted for the approval of the International Olympic Committee (IOC) scheduled to meet here on Saturday.

Under the compromise, Nationalist China would be labelled "Chinese Republic (Taiwan)." In official programmes.—UPI.

## Real Madrid win in West Berlin

West Berlin, Aug. 16.

Real Madrid defeated West Berlin's Victoria-Hertha Football Club one goal to nil here tonight before 70,000 spectators.

The goal was scored in the second half (83rd minute) by right-half Malagos.

Play was prolonged over the normal 90 minutes owing to several interruptions which took place during the game.

The Spanish team will leave Germany on Wednesday for Copenhagen.—AFP.

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## ENGLISH FOOTBALL LEAGUE SIGNS TV AGREEMENT

London, Aug. 16.

The English Football League today signed an agreement to put matches on television—and said it hoped the plan would make British women soccer-minded.

It sent a letter to the 92 League clubs explaining that much of the revenue from television would be used to pay for a vast public relations drive to get more Britons interested in the game.

"It would," the letter said, "give the public, including millions of women who watch TV on Saturday nights, a taste of the excitement and spectacle of first class football."

British soccer bosses, alarmed by falling gates in recent seasons, have until now firmly refused to allow any matches to be televised except the Cup Final and mid-week internationals.

Now they are taking the view that televised soccer might boost interest in the game.

The League's agreement is with Independent Television (ITV), which gets its revenue from advertisements. Twenty League games will be televised during the season, starting from five minutes before half-time.

### The first

The Football Association, which runs the English Challenge Cup, is negotiating a similar agreement with the state-run British Broadcasting Corporation for the televising of seven Cup matches.

The League will switch the kick-off time of games to be televised so that they won't compete with other matches. The first will be Blackpool versus Bolton Wanderers on September 10. That will start at 6.50 pm, when fans will have arrived home from afternoon games.

ITV will pay around £150,000 for the rights. The League plans to spend £45,000 of it on an advertising campaign to try to get more people through the turnstiles.—AP.

## OLYMPIC BRIEFS

Rome, Aug. 16.

A chicken box score spread through the Australian block at the Olympic Village soon after the team moved in today.

Wrestler Ron Hunt, from Melbourne, came out in spots on the last stage of the trip and went straight to bed.

Section manager Les Jones thought it might be chicken pox and called a doctor who diagnosed heat rash. However, he decided that Hunt should be kept under observation for two days.

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Sword-carrying Carabinieri saluted tonight as the flags of three more countries — Ceylon, Nigeria and Rumania — went up at the Olympic Village here.

The three national anthems were played before assembled athletes.

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A group of 76 United States athletes arrived in Rome today by air from New York.

Led by the President of the U.S. Olympic Committee, Mr. Kenneth Wilson, the group included nine boxers, 17 men and five women fencers, 12 marksmen, six women gymnasts, one man entered for gymnastics and four athletes entered for the modern pentathlon.

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A special outside bed, eight feet long was delivered tonight to the Soviet team at the Olympic Village.

It was specially made by a Roman carpenter following a telegram from Moscow several days ago.

The bed will be used by Soviet basketball player Krutich. He is seven feet two inches tall.—Reuters.

## HERB ELLIOTT BEATEN IN THE 800m

Sydney, Aug. 16.

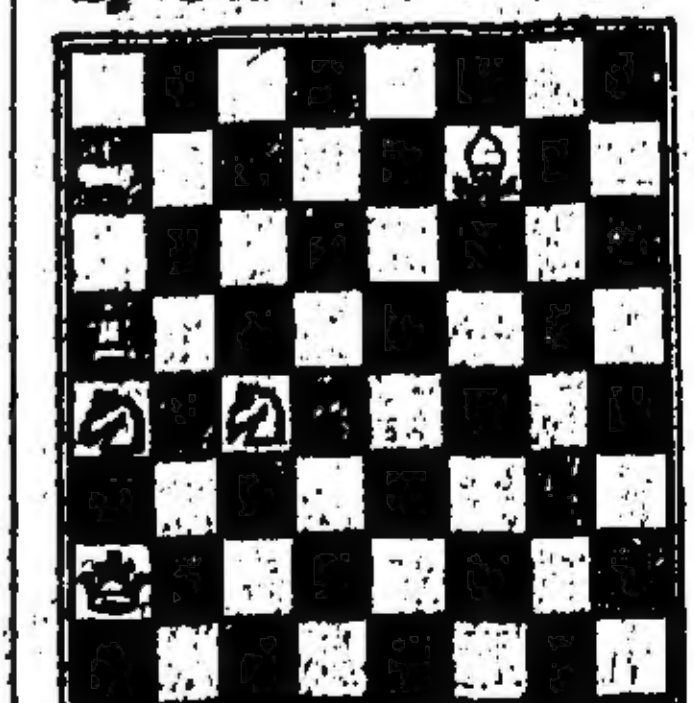
Herb Elliott, Australia's middle-distance star who has not fully recovered from a stomach ailment, was soundly beaten in the 800 metres during the final Australian Olympic athletics trials here tonight.

Elliott chose the shorter race in preference to the more grueling 1,500 metres. He was defeated by Dr Tony Blue, of Queensland, who won in one minute 49.6 seconds.

Afterwards Elliott said he had been able to eat three meals today but he added that he was not completely fit.—Reuters.

## CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a problem by E. J. de C. Andrade (Obozav 1927). White to play and make in two moves.

Solution No. 1872: 1. Q-B4 ch, BxQ; 2. B-B3 ch, K-B3; 3. PxB (threat 4. R-K7 ch, K-B3; 5. R-B3 mate); 4. R-K7 ch, K-B3; 5. R-B3 mate. —R. Barden.

## THE GAMBOLS

by Barry Appleby



## COOK BETTER MEALS



## Disappointing

Konrads' performances in pre-Olympic trials have been disappointing but there have been other reports that the youngster, one of the favourites for the 400-metre and 1,500-metre events, has been kept under wraps and slowly built up to his peak for the Rome Games.

Talbot arrived with the first contingent of 120 Olympic athletes and officials from Australia after a day's delay because of engine trouble in their chartered plane and bad weather.

The contingent included entries in field hockey, swimming, weight-lifting, yachting, wrestling, canoeing and modern pentathlon.—AP.



# SPORTS PICTORIAL



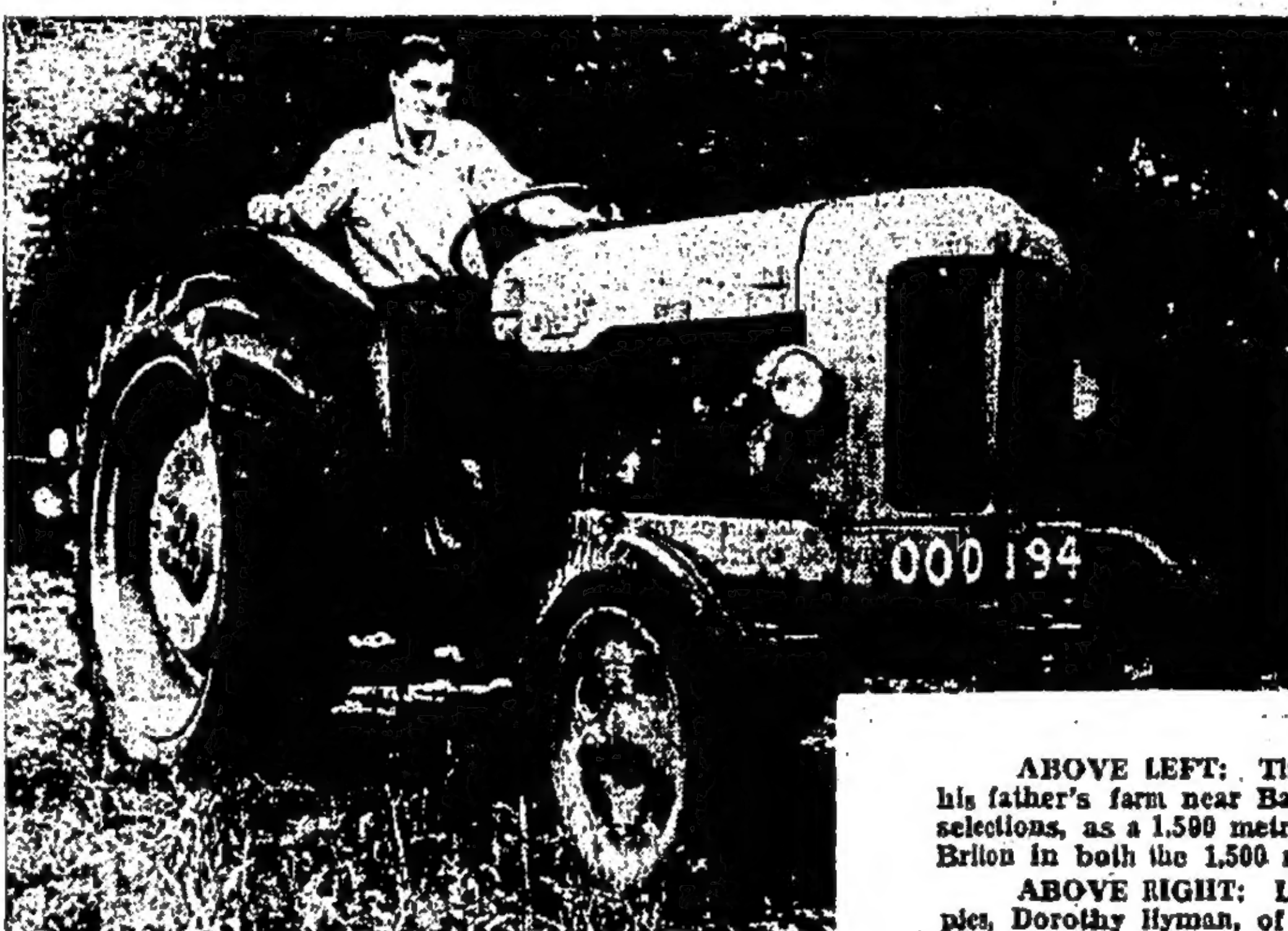
ABOVE: Trainer Sir Gordon Richards (left) with trainer R. J. Colling (right background) and Detective Inspector Baldock (left) who led a team of Flying Squad officers from Scotland Yard in the investigation last week which resulted in the arrest of five men and the bringing of charges against them of conspiring together to dope racehorses. Sir Gordon and Mr Colling were among the trainers who gave evidence. — Central Press photo.



The Hongkong Chinese Football Referees' Association held an inauguration ceremony for its new officials at the Ying King restaurant last Saturday. Seen here officiating at the function is Mr L. F. Kwok. Others at the official table are: (from left) Messrs Ip Kau-kun, P. T. Loong, C. E. Dick (HKFA Vice-President), Wong Wing-shun, F. R. Prattell (HKFA Chairman) and Leung Yuk-long. — China Mail Photo.



ABOVE RIGHT: The Olympic torch is handed to the first of the 362 Greek athletes who will carry the flame in relay from ancient Olympia to Athens for the Olympic Games at Rome later this month. — London Express photo.

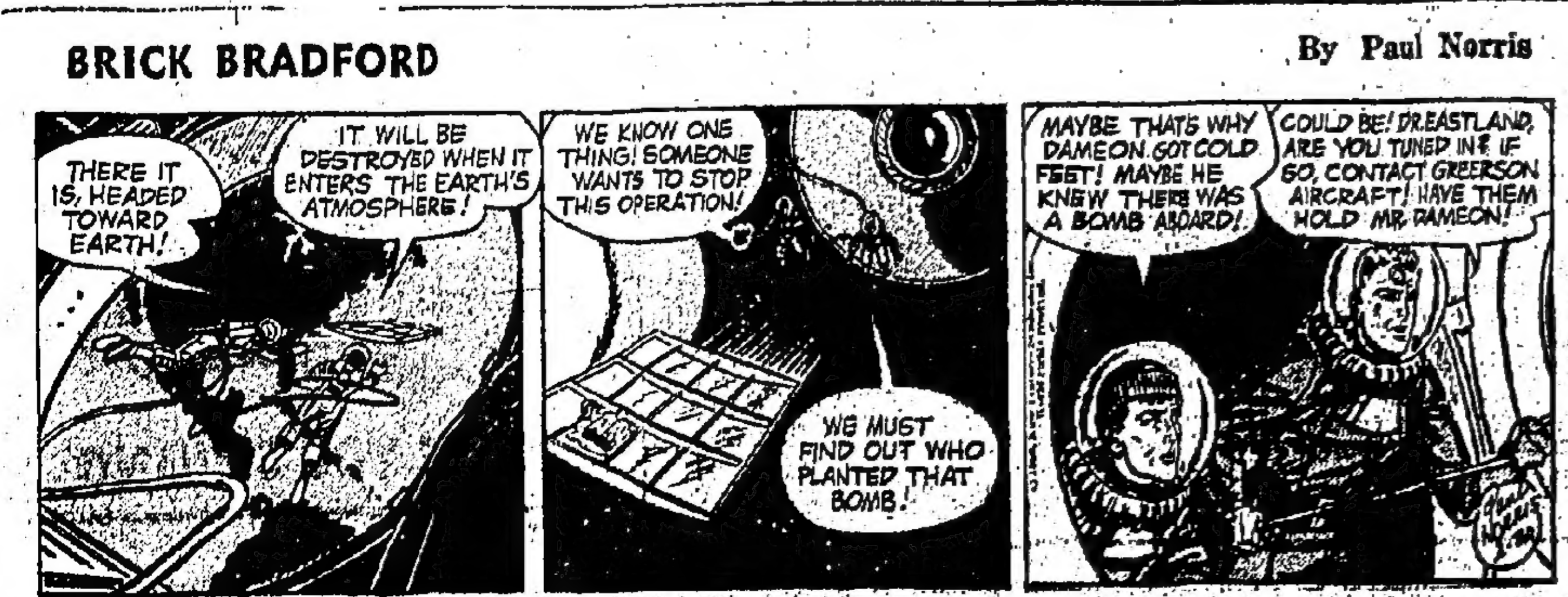
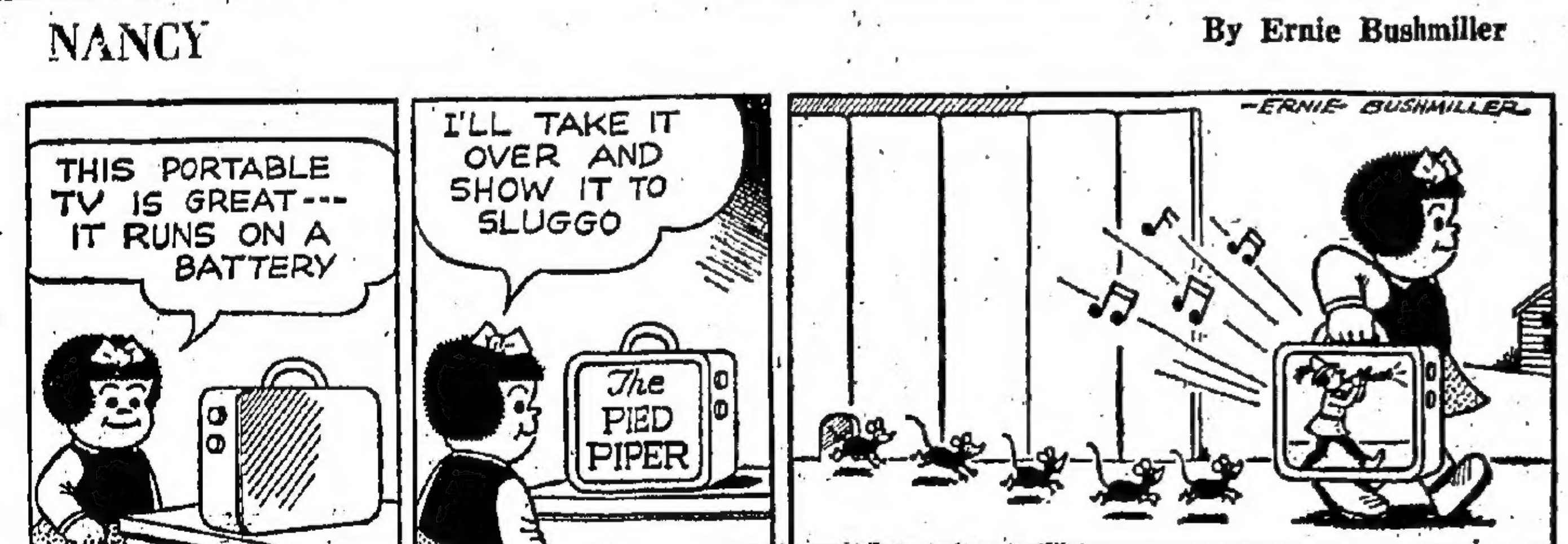
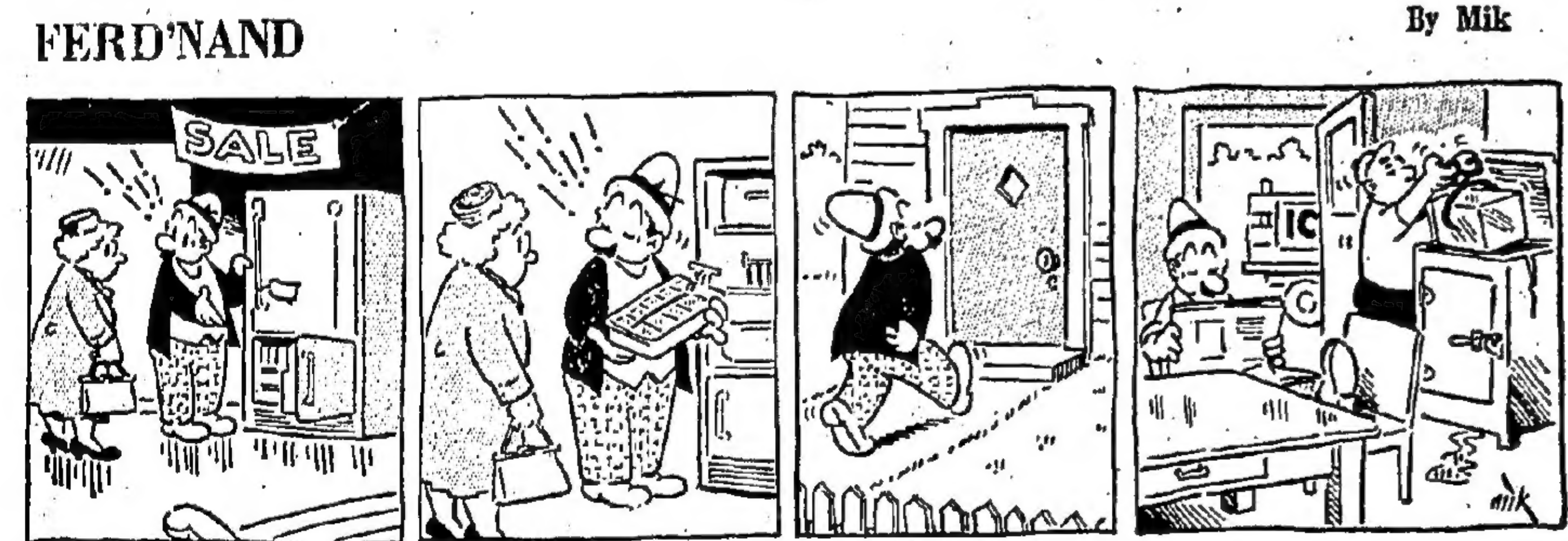


LEFT: A charming member of the Russian team, Valentina Shishkova, pictured at the Welsh Harp, Willemsden, last week, when 200 of the best women rowers from all parts of Europe took part in the European Women's Rowing Championships. — Central Press photo.



ABOVE LEFT: The name of farmer Brian Kent-Smith, seen here on a tractor on his father's farm near Barnstaple, was added this week to the list of Britain's Olympic selections, as a 1,500 metres runner. He has put up the fastest times this season by a Briton in both the 1,500 metres and the mile (3:43.7 and 4:0.7). — London Express photo.

ABOVE RIGHT: Latest action picture of Britain's sprint hope for the Rome Olympics, Dorothy Hyman, of Hickleton Main, Y.C. who is one of the provisional team chosen to go to Rome. Miss Hyman has been listed in the 100 metres and the 4 x 100 metres relay. — Central Press photo.



Betty Cuthbert, the Australian sprinter who won three gold medals in the 1956 Olympics at Melbourne, has spent the four years since under persistent coaching to improve her running style, which was far too upright.

Under the watchful eye of coach, Mrs June Ferguson, the wonder sprinter from Sydney has altered her whole style, from the moment she leaves the blocks until she hits the tape. Instead of pushing from the blocks, Betty Cuthbert now has a very strong drive, and she runs with her body 15 degrees further forward from her old upright style. After four years of hard and intensive training Betty has set her sights on more gold medals at Rome this year.

Top photo shows Betty Cuthbert getting the drive from the starting blocks. In the lower left photo Betty shows in a straight line her head to her heel, the perfect motion of straightening up for the essential leg drive, and in the lower right photo she is in the final burst with the arms and leg drive still working in perfect unison. — London Express Photo.







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## Police officer tells of visit to Correspondents Club 'I GOT MY GUN IN THE CONGO' American authoress is discharged by court

An American woman author Dianne Shah, claimed today in Central Court she had acquired a 9mm automatic pistol and 12 rounds of ammunition while in the Belgian Congo. She was charged with possession of arms and ammunition but Mr K. A. S. Phillips exercised his discretion under Section 35 of the Magistrate's Ordinance and discharged her.

### Counsel's claim in drug case

Mr G. Hampton said in the Victoria District Court today that Government had added barbitone to the dangerous drugs schedule in 1958 without any authority to do so.

He said this when he defended two men and a woman on dangerous drugs charges.

The accused, Ng Shing-man, Ng Kam-chung and Cheng Mei-yu, a woman, were alleged to have dealt with and possessed heroin and barbitone. They pleaded not guilty.

Mr Hampton submitted that barbitone was purported to be added to the first schedule of Dangerous Drugs Ordinance by a Gazette notification in 1958.

#### No cure

He said that Ordinance No. 10 of 1960 gave the Governor-in-Council power by order to amend the schedule, but that did not cure the 1958 amendment.

He submitted that the prosecution would have to prove that the Governor-in-Council, in adding barbitone to the schedule, had been satisfied that the drug was analogous to morphine or cocaine. Judge K. R. Macfee adjourned the hearing to 2 p.m. for Chief Inspector T. W. Wheeler to receive instructions on the point.

He found the case proved. He also ordered the confiscation of the pistol and 12 rounds of ammunition. Defendant, of Room 2, Foreign Correspondence Club, 41A Conduit-road, said she was the wife of a prince of Nepal.

#### Collect material

She said she went to the Congo to collect material for a new book. She said she wrote under the pen name of Diane Lynn Waldron.

Pleading not guilty through her counsel, Mr H. H. B. How, she said she had a Congo licence endorsed in her passport in French.

Supt. R. J. Brotherton, attached to Police Headquarters, testified that on August 11 at noon, he went to the Foreign Correspondents Club, accompanied by Inspector Taylor.

He said he saw Miss Shah, and after a conversation, asked her "Did you have a fire-arm when you were in the Congo?" She replied "Yes, I have it upstairs." He said he told her that before they went any further, he would like to see the fire-arm, and showed her the warrant.

#### Cloth bundle

Supt. Brotherton said on entering the room in the Foreign Correspondence Club, the defendant went to one of her wardrobes, opened a drawer and produced a cloth bundle. "It contained a holster with a revolver with two clips, six rounds of ammunition in each clip and one clip was in the gun," Supt. Brotherton added.

She said she did not have a licence issued by the Hongkong Commissioner of Police, but had a Belgian permit in her passport, which she thought sufficient. Principal Crown Counsel Mr D. N. E. Rea prosecuted. Mr How was instructed by Messrs Hastings and Co.

### Man falls off ferry

A 41-year-old man fell overboard from a Star ferry in the harbour this morning. The Northern Star, on its way from Hongkong to Tsimshatsui, stopped immediately. It was about 9.25 a.m.

Crew members rescued the man and later helped him ashore. He was sent to Kowloon Hospital where his condition was said to be "all right."

### 'Bundle of Nerves' leaves

Miss Hiroko Sawadaishi, a Japanese night club artiste left here by Swissair on her return to Japan after a successful five-week tour of local night clubs.

Miss Sawadaishi, who toured four local night clubs, was billed as "Japan's Delicious Bundle of Nerves" and "The C. B. from Japan."

### 9 months' jail for \$1 theft

For stealing a note-book worth \$1 a man was sentenced to nine months' jail today.

He was 39-year-old unemployed man Hung Wan-chor at Central Court this morning.

Sub-Inspector Yip Tai-yau told the Magistrate, Mr E. Corbally, that Hung stole the note-book from a jacket pocket of a passenger on board a tram travelling along Des Voeux-road Central on Monday afternoon.

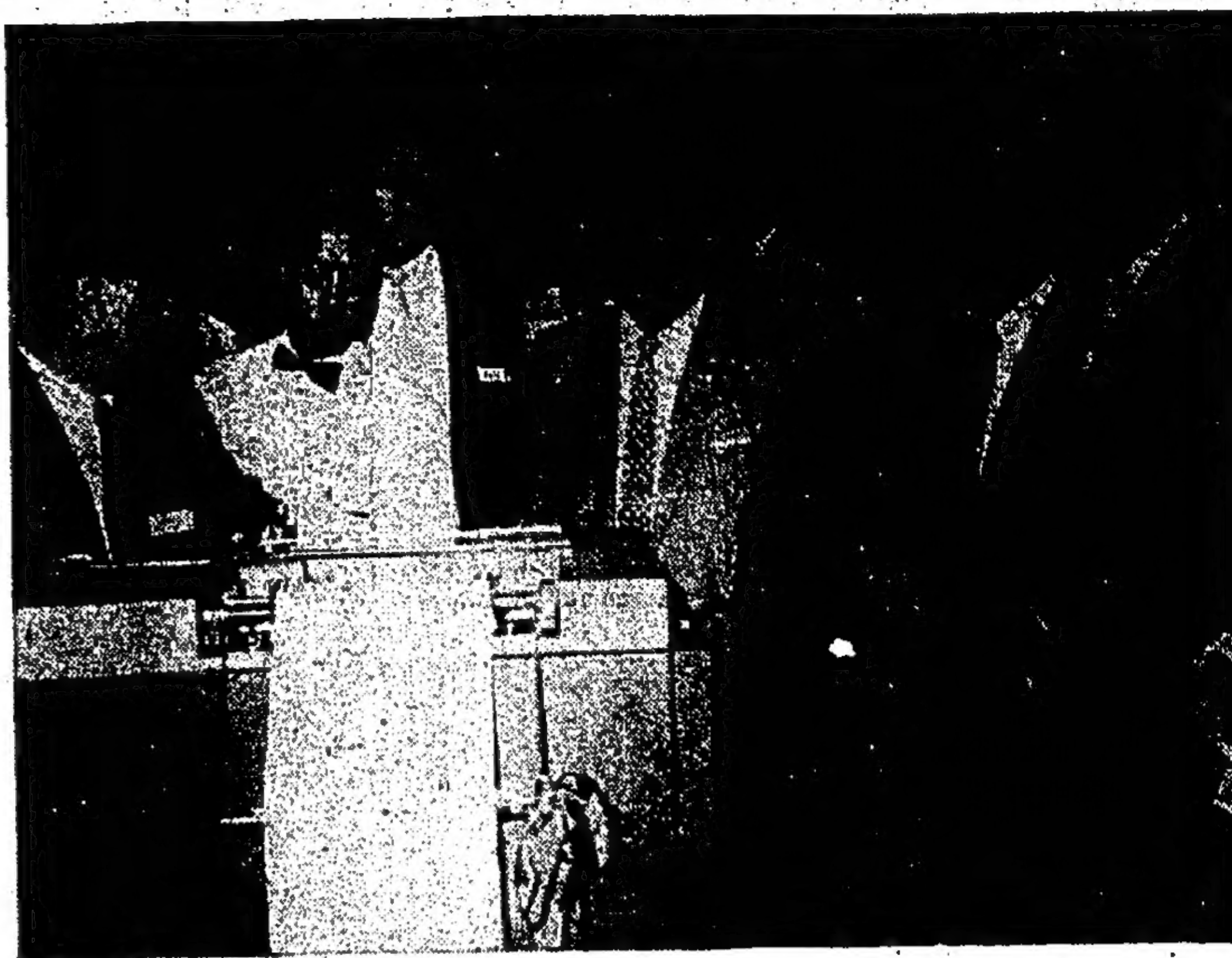
Hung thought there was money in it but he was disappointed.

Inspector Yip said the conductor on the upper deck of the tram saw the theft and Hung was handed over to the police. Hung had eight previous convictions including two for a similar offence and one for attempted theft.

### To give talks on refugee problems

Mr David Taylor, founder and resident director of the Ramble's Mill Student Aid Project, left by Boac this morning to begin his six months holiday in the United Kingdom, Europe and the United States.

During his travels, he will give talks on Hongkong refugee problems, laying special stress on his project in an effort to raise funds.



### Businessmen see wonder machine go through paces

The electronics age has arrived in Hongkong.

The morning a large group of Hongkong businessmen watched a typist busy collating several hundred grocery bills and translating them into a series of punch holes on cards measuring

four inches by two-and-a-half—all on one machine the size of a typewriter. Each card has room for 80 columns of letters or figures. The demonstrator then fed the cards through a desk-top-size sorter, which arranged the cards in alphabetic order, according to the name or serial number of the customer.

#### One operation

A further machine added the totals and printed the results—or the whole itemised bill if desired—in one operation. The machine will also subtract, divide or multiply.

In addition the machine will punch holes in the cards showing the totals, so that they can be used as permanent records. The demonstrator, showing the new IBM Series 3000 punched card accounting system, took place at the opening of the IBM World Trade Corporation's new offices in Shell House.

#### Average volume

Sir Tsun Nin-chau, who performed the brief inauguration ceremony, later watched with interest as the machine did its work.

It is designed specifically for companies with an average volume of paper work. Larger machines are available for more complex businesses.

Such equipment will also be used during the Hongkong Census, to compute and tabulate the statistics and results. Although the small machine system costs almost \$100,000 to buy, the equipment can be rented for less than \$2,000 a month.

Sir Tsun-nin Chau (third from right) watches as a demonstrator (extreme left) operates the new IBM punched card accounting system. The machine could work out your monthly grocery bill, with a fully-itemised invoice, in a few seconds.—China Mail Photo.

### \$700 fine for charge of adulterated liquor

A 31-year-old shop proprietress was fined \$700 or three months' jail by Mr E. Corbally at Central Court this morning for dealing in adulterated liquor and failing to keep a stock book to the satisfaction of the Department of Commerce and Industry.

Choi Kam, of 1102 Canton-road, ground floor, who pleaded guilty, cried in the dock and begged the Magistrate to impose a lighter fine.

Revenue Inspector K. K. Leung told the court that at 1 p.m. on August 2, a routine inspection was carried out by Revenue officers at defendant's premises.

The defendant produced a stock book and it was found that the record of goods was kept up only to July 26.

The officers examined 24 bottles of brandy and whisky and found them to be adulterated.

Thirty-four bottles of wines which were produced in court as exhibits were confiscated.

From the Files

## 25 years AGO

August, 1935

MESSRS Doubleday Doran and Company today revealed in New York that Lawrence of Arabia left a manuscript entitled "The Mint" which the publishers will issue at \$500,000 a copy.

This is the highest price for any contemporary volume of history. It is purposely made prohibitive and its issuance is solely for the purpose of protecting the copyright.

The publishers state that the contents are so sensational that they may never be published in England at least until all the persons mentioned in the manuscript are dead.

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A motor collision involving Miss M. Gubbay niece of Mr C. S. Gubbay of 8 MacDonnell Road occurred in Garden Road yesterday afternoon as a result of which Miss Gubbay suffered from shock and other slight injuries.

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THE Queen of Belgium, formerly Princess Astrid of Sweden, was killed in a motor accident on the lake-side road, Lake Lucerne, nine miles from the town of Lucerne.

King Leopold was driving at the time when the car suddenly got out of control and crashed into a tree.

The Queen, who was sitting beside the King was thrown against the tree and killed instantly.

King Leopold was cut on the head.

The chauffeur, who was in the back of the car, was not hurt.

The sympathy of the whole world will go out to the King of the Belgians and his young children in this terrible tragedy, which has followed so quickly upon the death in a mountaineering accident on Feb. 17, 1934, of the War Hero, his father King Albert.

Queen Astrid, who with King Leopold had visited Hongkong in 1932, was always considered one of the most beautiful and accomplished women in Europe.

She was beloved by the people of Belgium, and popular wherever she went.

## Art in Hongkong dear sir

### Congo danger

In your account of local cultural activities (Comment of the Day, Monday), I am surprised that you have overlooked a young and vigorous art in which there is tremendous enthusiasm and in which the local artists lead the world.

I refer to the art of pictorial photography. Hongkong has many large and very active photographic societies, which hold weekly and monthly meetings, exhibit thousands of prints and colour slides locally, and compete successfully in hundreds of overseas exhibitions.

To describe these lusty and proliferating clubs as "small struggling cultural groups which hang to the frayed threads of an existence" could hardly be more inapt.

In international exhibitions abroad, the Hongkong entries are usually outstanding, and a large proportion of the gold medals and other awards are won annually by local artists.

If proof of their pre-eminence is needed, it may be seen in the annual records of acceptances in these exhibitions, compiled by the Photographic Society of America. These show that in each of the last seven or eight years, the most successful photographer has always been one of our local artists.

On several occasions they have occupied the top three places, and it is not unusual for six out of the top ten places to be taken by Hongkong photographers.

In view of this it is difficult to understand your suggestion that nothing of cultural significance is being produced here.

In ignoring an activity which engages many of Hongkong's most creative minds, you give a woefully lopsided view of culture in this Colony.

Rene MacColl's interview with Sir Roy Welensky the Rhodesian leader, published in yesterday's "China Mail" on the Congo problem and its possible effects on other African countries is most interesting, having regard to the insistent demand for 'independence' by countries still too immature for this grand experiment.

Left to itself, doubtless the problem in the Congo will resolve to the satisfaction of its people, but it has today reached such a stage that intervention by outside countries to prevent the conflagration spreading to adjacent countries has become a necessity.

The despatch of a token UN 'protection corps' signifies the interest shown by the outside world to the potential danger caused by the uncertainty in the Congo which has become a powder-keg that might easily be sparked off to a third world war.

Countries round about the Congo are watching anxiously the development in that country. If the leaders in the Congo show themselves to take on the responsibility of self-government they will make a success of their task, and other countries still under a colonial form of government will also want to clamour for independence in due time.

On the other hand, should the Congo make a mess of its newly won 'independence' and bring discredit on its leaders and distrust among its own people, its neighbours will naturally hesitate to demand 'independence' until they are more certain of their ability to accept this much desired gift.

In the meantime, it is up to the existing regimes in countries still under colonial administration to encourage

the leaders among the people to take a more active interest in their government, and to grant them a larger measure of 'guided self-government' so that in time they will be in a position to take over without seriously upsetting the economic life of the people.

Whatever may be said of the British 'colonialism' countries hitherto under British administration have all been living in comparative peace, and when transition from 'administration' to 'independent government' is upset, it is caused, for the people have been trained to take over long before the time due for the grant of 'independence'.

One has only to look back on conditions prevailing in the vast Indian sub-continent, now divided into India and Pakistan, Ceylon, Malaya, Singapore and other former colonies and countries that formed the much maligned 'British Empire' to see the present tranquillity of the people, and the friendliness still entertained towards Britain.

Britain does not throw up her responsibilities easily or in a panic, however hard pressed by those benighted people who are impatient to take over the administration. She has first to satisfy herself that she can safely transfer power without seriously upsetting the economic life of the people for whom she still holds herself responsible.

The ruler owes a duty to the ruled, and it is a cowardly country that throws up the sponge at the first sign of danger and panics towards the hills, leaving an unguided people to their fate.

'Independence' is a lovely thing, but it can also become a real danger, depending how it is treated or handled. Let those who desire this prize of great value ponder to see if they are able to retain its value, if not further to enhance it, before clamouring for its gift.

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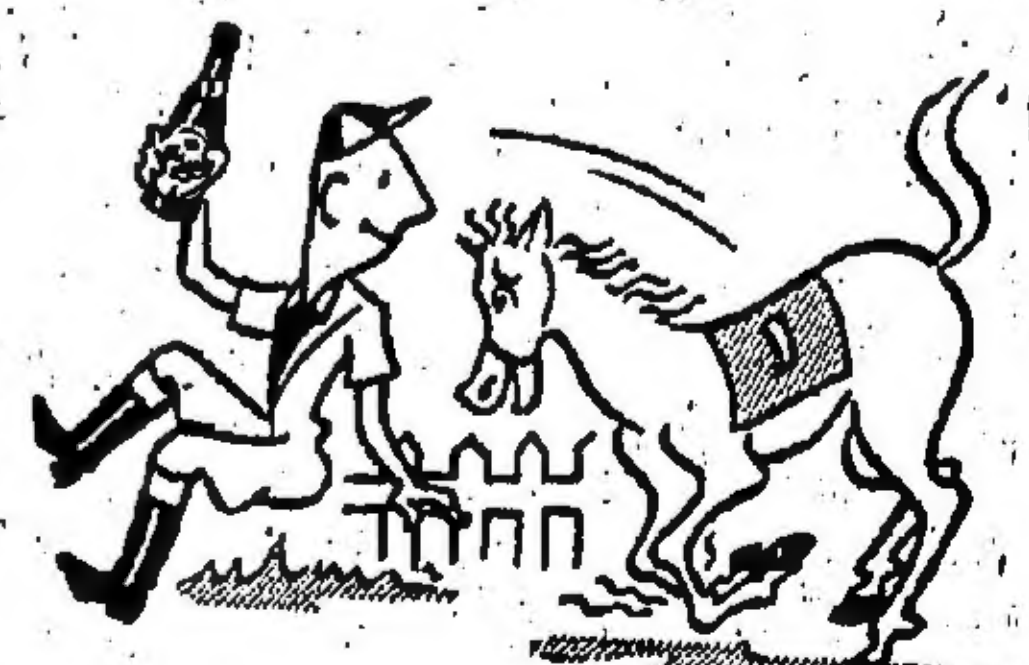
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